

# **Congressman Joe Kennedy**

## **Grants Assistance Information Newsletter**

### **MASSACHUSETTS 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT**

### **FEBRUARY 2015**

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**Institute of Museum and Library Services**



## Learning Thrives in Plainville Library's Wondrous Kingdom...

Funded by a subgrant within IMLS' Grants to States program, the Plainville Public Library's Full STEAM Ahead project, the Kingdom of Why, is an arts-driven science education program for children ages three through five. Using...

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## ABOUT US

The Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) is the primary source of federal support for the nation's

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September 01, 2015

Application: The Notice of Funding Opportunity (Grant Program Guidelines) for the current fiscal year is now available: Access FY 2015 Notice of Funding Opportunity Online Grant Amount: \$50,000-500,000 annually for first year; up to \$800,000 for subsequent years\* Grant Period: Up to three years...

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Each grant program has specific eligibility requirements. The links below provide general eligibility criteria for museums, libraries, and tribal organizations, but please note that additional organizations may be eligible for grants under certain programs. Additionally, ineligible organizations may still be able to participate in grant programs through partnerships with eligible organizations. Please click on the links below to see general criteria and review Applications and Guidelines for specific information.



**Institutions:** Archives, Federally Recognized Native American Tribe, Historical Society, Library, Nonprofits that serve Native Hawaiians, Professional Association, Public or Private Non-profit Institutions of Higher Education, Regional Organization, State Library Administrative Agency, State or Local Government

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STEM Expert Facilitation of Family Learning in Libraries and Museums (STEMeX) – A National Leadership Grants Special Initiative – FY16 Notice of Funding Opportunity Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	NLGSPECIALINITIATIVE-STEMEX-FY16
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	STEM Expert Facilitation of Family Learning in Libraries and Museums (STEMeX) – A National Leadership Grants Special Initiative – FY16 Notice of Funding Opportunity
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	3
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.312 -- National Leadership Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Feb 1, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Feb 1, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	May 1, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	May 1, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	May 31, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$2,500,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$500,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	The information below outlines eligibility requirements for a museum entity or library entity, and some institutions may be eligible as both. An institution will not be asked to identify as a museum or library, but will be asked to identify the organization type on the SF424S and the organization unit type on the Program Information Sheet (Section f). To be eligible as library entity, you must be either a unit of State or local government

or be a private nonprofit organization that has tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code; be located in one of the 50 States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau; and qualify as one of the following: a library or a parent organization, such as a school district, a municipality, a State agency, or an academic institution, that is responsible for the administration of a library. Eligible libraries include public libraries, public elementary and secondary school libraries, college and university libraries, research libraries and archives that are not an integral part of an institution of higher education and that make publicly available library services and materials that are suitable for scholarly research and not otherwise available. Research libraries must be under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff librarian and be either generally recognized as possessing unique, scholarly research materials and services that are made available to the public, or able to demonstrate that such is the case when submitting an application to IMLS a private library or other special library, but only if the State in which it is located determines that the library should be considered a library for purposes of Library Services and Technology (see 20 U.S.C. 9121-9165) an academic or administrative unit, such as a graduate school of library and information science that is part of an institution of higher education through which it would make application a digital library, if it makes library materials publicly available and provides library services, including selection, organization, description, reference, and preservation, under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff librarian a library agency that is an official agency of a State or other unit of government and is charged by the law governing it with the extension and development of public library services within its jurisdiction a library consortium that is a local, statewide, regional, interstate, or international cooperative association of library entities that provides for the

systematic and effective coordination of the resources of eligible libraries, as defined above, and information centers that work to improve the services delivered to the clientele of these libraries or a library association that exists on a permanent basis; serves libraries or library professionals on a national, regional, State, or local level; and engages in activities designed to advance the well-being of libraries and the library profession To be eligible as a museum entity, you must meet all three of the following criteria: You must be either a unit of State or local government or be a private nonprofit organization that has tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code; You must be located in one of the 50 States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau; and You must qualify as one of the following: (a) A museum that, using a professional staff,

**Agency Name:**

Institute of Museum and Library Services

**Description:**

This special joint NLG-Libraries and NLG-Museums initiative invites proposals for research on informal educational approaches that leverage community Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) professionals in the broadest sense. Funded research projects will create a foundation for reaching children and families from diverse economic, social, and cultural backgrounds, with different levels of knowledge about STEM. We are interested in proposals for design-based research projects that develop and explore models for inquiry-based STEM programs delivered by scientists, engineers, and related technical practitioners (STEM experts) to children ages 6-10 and their families. In particular, proposals should address the role of expert oral narratives (e.g., storytelling, personal histories, and analogies) as part of object-based science inquiry. Proposals should include information about how findings from this research will be applicable in both museum and library settings.

**Link to Additional Information:**

<https://www.imls.gov/grants/available/stem-expert-facilitation-family-learning-libraries->

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***STEM Expert Facilitation of Family Learning in Libraries and Museums***

IMLS is inviting proposals for special grants for research on informal educational approaches that leverage Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) expertise within communities in the broadest sense. The [STEM Expert Facilitation of Family Learning in Libraries and Museums](#), or STEMEx, initiative will provide grants up to \$1,000,000 for projects of up to two years. **The deadline for applications is May 1, 2016.**

Through STEMEx, IMLS seeks design-based research projects that develop and explore models for inquiry-based STEM programs delivered by scientists, engineers, and related technical practitioners (STEM experts) to children ages 6-10 and their families. In particular, proposals should address the role of experts' oral narratives (e.g., storytelling, personal histories, and analogies) as part of object-based science inquiry. Proposals should include information about how findings from this research will be applicable in both museum and library settings. Funded research projects will create a foundation for reaching children and families from diverse geographic, economic, social, and cultural backgrounds, who have different levels of knowledge about STEM.

This special initiative falls jointly under the National Leadership Grants for Libraries (NLG-Libraries) and National Leadership Grants for Museums (NLG-Museums) programs. National Leadership grants support projects that address challenges faced by the library and museum fields and that have the potential to advance practice in those fields with new tools, research findings, models, services, practices, or alliances that can be widely used, adapted, scaled, or replicated.

"There is an opportunity to further define best practice models about how scientific and technical experts--whether medical researchers and road engineers or art conservators and dental hygienists--can successfully engage young children and their families in STEM activities and inspire interest in STEM-based careers. Every community has those experts to draw upon to enhance their informal educational STEM efforts. That is why I am particularly excited to announce this special funding initiative," said IMLS Director Dr. Kathryn K. Matthew. "There has already been fruitful and substantive work in this area, enabled by IMLS and others, and this effort will build on those prior investments. The research from this initiative will focus on maximizing the stories and narratives provided by STEM experts as part of programs offered by museums and libraries."

**Eligibility:** Museums; libraries; public or private nonprofit agencies, organizations, or associations that engage in activities designed to advance libraries and museums may apply. In addition, institutions of higher education, including public and non-profit universities, are eligible. See the [Notice of Funding Opportunity \(NOFO\) for FY 2016](#) for full details.

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**Webinars:** To learn more, participate on one of these upcoming webinars:

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- Wednesday, February 17, 2016, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. EST
  - Thursday, February 18, 2016, 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. EST
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[See the IMLS website for information about joining the webinars.](#)

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National Leadership Grants for Libraries

National Leadership Grants for Museums

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=281271>

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National Leadership Grants for Libraries Grant

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National Leadership Grants for Libraries

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

20

**CFDA Number(s):**

45.312 -- National Leadership Grants

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

Yes

**Posted Date:**

Dec 21, 2015

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<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jun 1, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jul 1, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$12,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$2,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$10,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	<p>To be eligible as an applicant for this National Leadership Grants for Libraries Program, you must: be either a unit of State or local government or be a private nonprofit organization that has tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code; be located in one of the 50 States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau; and qualify as one of the following: a library or a parent organization, such as a school district, a municipality, a State agency, or an academic institution, that is responsible for the administration of a library. Eligible libraries include public libraries, public elementary and secondary school libraries, college and university libraries, research libraries and archives that are not an integral part of an institution of higher education and that make publicly available library services and materials that are suitable for scholarly research and not otherwise available. Research libraries must be under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff librarian and be either generally recognized as possessing unique, scholarly research materials and services that are made available to the public, or able to demonstrate that such is the case when submitting an application to IMLS a private library or other special library, but only if the State in which it is located determines that the library should be considered a library for purposes of Library Services and Technology (see 20 U.S.C. 9121-9165) an academic or administrative unit, such as a graduate school of library and information science that is part of an institution of higher education through which it would make application a digital library, if it makes library materials publicly available and provides library services, including</p>

selection, organization, description, reference, and preservation, under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff librarian a library agency that is an official agency of a State or other unit of government and is charged by the law governing it with the extension and development of public library services within its jurisdiction a library consortium that is a local, statewide, regional, interstate, or international cooperative association of library entities that provides for the systematic and effective coordination of the resources of eligible libraries, as defined above, and information centers that work to improve the services delivered to the clientele of these libraries or a library association that exists on a permanent basis; serves libraries or library professionals on a national, regional, State, or local level; and engages in activities designed to advance the well-being of libraries and the library profession Note to applicants: In order to receive an IMLS award, you must be in compliance with applicable requirements and be in good standing on all active IMLS awards.

**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

Institute of Museum and Library Services National Leadership Grants for Libraries (NLG) support projects that address challenges faced by the library and archive fields and that have the potential to advance practice in those fields. Successful proposals will generate results such as new tools, research findings, models, services, practices, or alliances that can be widely used, adapted, scaled, or replicated to extend the benefits of federal investment. For FY16, there are two National Leadership Grants for Libraries funding opportunities with two separate deadlines. In addition to the opportunity described in this Notice of Funding Opportunity, an additional NLG funding opportunity was announced in September 2015 with an application submission due date in October 2015.

**Link to Additional Information:**

<https://www.imls.gov/grants/available/national-leadership-grants-libraries>

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Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program Grant

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<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	LB21-FY16-2
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	22
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.313 -- Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 21, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 21, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jun 1, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jun 1, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jul 1, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$10,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$50,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	To be eligible for LB21, you must be either a unit of State or local government or a private nonprofit organization that has tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code and be located in one of the 50 States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the U.S. Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau. In addition, you must be one of the following six types of organizations: A library or a parent organization, such as a school district, a municipality, a State agency, or an academic institution, that is responsible for the administration of a library. Eligible libraries include the following: Public libraries Public elementary and secondary school libraries College and university libraries Research libraries and archives that are not an integral part of an institution of higher education and that make publicly available library services and materials that are suitable for scholarly research and not otherwise available (Research libraries must be under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff person and must



be either generally recognized as possessing unique scholarly research materials and services that are made available to the public, or able to demonstrate that such is the case when submitting an application to IMLS.) Private or special libraries that have been deemed eligible to participate in this program by the State in which the library is located An academic or administrative unit, such as a graduate school of library and information science that is part of an institution of higher education through which it would make application (See below for additional conditions of eligibility that might apply to such applicants) A digital library, if it makes library materials publicly available and provides library services, including selection, organization, description, reference, and preservation, under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff person A library agency that is an official agency of a State or other unit of government and is charged by the law governing it with the extension and development of public library services within its jurisdiction A library consortium that is a local, statewide, regional, interstate, or international cooperative association of library entities that provides for the systematic and effective coordination of the resources of eligible libraries, as defined above, and information centers that work to improve the services delivered to the clientele of these libraries A library association that exists on a permanent basis; serves libraries or library professionals on a national, regional, state, or local level; and engages in activities designed to advance the well-being of libraries and the library profession We recognize the potential for valuable contributions to the overall goals of the LB21 program by entities that do not meet the eligibility requirements above. Although such entities may not serve as the official applicants, they are encouraged to participate in projects. Federally operated libraries and museums may not apply for LB21 grants, but they may participate with applicants. Contact us before submitting a proposal involving a federal agency or federal collection. Non-Federal entities may serve as subrecipients or contractors and may receive IMLS grant funds as a result of the project. Consult with us about any eligibility questions before submitting an application.

**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

Institute of Museum and Library Services  
The Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program (LB21) supports professional development, graduate education and continuing education to help libraries and archives develop the human capital capacity they need to meet the changing learning and information needs of the American public. For FY16, there are two Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program funding opportunities with two separate deadlines. In addition to the opportunity described in this Notice of Funding Opportunity, an additional LB21 funding opportunity

## Link to Additional Information:

## Contact Information:

was announced in September 2015 with an application submission due date in October 2015.

<https://www.imls.gov/grants/available/laura-bush-21st-century-librarian-program>

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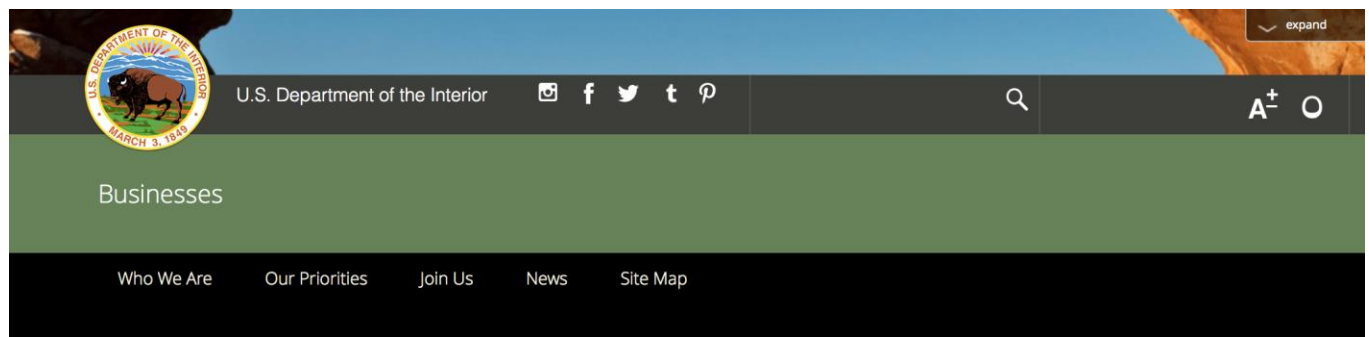
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## Department of the Interior

### Working with Interior

The Interior Department provides assistance to the public, local governments and businesses through a number of programs. For a general overview see: <http://www.doi.gov/index.cfm>



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**Programs:**

**Modifications:**

Fish and Wildlife Service

Request for Pre-Proposals to develop and or improve climate change actions' affect on linkages between ecological and human resources

Modification 1

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

F16AS00086

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Request for PreProposals to develop and or improve climate change actions' affect on linkages between ecological and human resources.

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Environment

Information and Statistics

Natural Resources

Science and Technology and other Research and Development

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

5

**CFDA Number(s):**

15.669 -- Cooperative Landscape Conservation

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

No

**Posted Date:**

Jan 19, 2016

**Creation Date:**

Feb 1, 2016

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Mar 18, 2016

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Mar 18, 2016

**Archive Date:**

Mar 19, 2016

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

\$200,000

**Award Ceiling:**

\$50,000

**Award Floor:**

\$10,000

**Eligible Applicants:**

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Agency Name:**

Fish and Wildlife Service

**Description:**

Seeking proposals addressing this activity area that will directly benefit natural and cultural resource managers by informing policy, conservation and sustainable resource management decisions and actions. Project proposals must address natural and cultural resource managers' needs as they work to understand and adapt to our regions changing climate and/or other landscape-

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scale stressors. Project proposals should be developed in coordination with end-users and decision-relevant needs/outcomes must be clearly identified.

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**Reminders:**

Fish and Wildlife Service  
National Fish Passage Program Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

F16AS00041

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

National Fish Passage Program

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Natural Resources

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

**CFDA Number(s):**

15.608 -- Fish and Wildlife Management Assistance

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

Yes

**Posted Date:**

Dec 1, 2015

**Creation Date:**

Nov 30, 2015

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Sep 1, 2016

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Sep 1, 2016

**Archive Date:**

Sep 20, 2016

**Eligible Applicants:**

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

To receive funding, NFPP projects must be implemented in coordination with FAC staff. Applicants can be, but not limited to: state and federal agencies, private lands, tribes, local municipalities, and non-governmental organizations.

**Agency Name:**

Fish and Wildlife Service

**Description:**

The National Fish Passage Program (NFPP) is a voluntary program that provides direct technical assistance and financial assistance in the form of cooperative agreements to partners to provide fish (and other aquatic organisms) passage and restore aquatic connectivity for the benefit of federal trust resources. The NFPP is delivered through more than 65 Fisheries and Aquatic Conservation (FAC) Field Offices across all States and territories. FAC staff coordinates with project partners, stakeholders and other Service programs to identify and collaboratively

implement projects within Regional priority areas. Project work plans are developed strategically, in coordination with partners, and with substantial involvement from FAC staff. Projects must advance our mission, promote biological diversity, and be based upon sound scientific biological principles. FAC and Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) strategic plans inform the types of projects funded under this opportunity. Applicants seeking funding under this program should review the program strategic plan and also contact the regional NFPP Coordinator for local FAC contacts prior to submitting an application for funding.

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Fish and Wildlife Service  
2016 National Fish Habitat Action Plan  
Modification 1

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	F16AS00029
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	2016 National Fish Habitat Action Plan
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Natural Resources
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	70
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	15.608 -- Fish and Wildlife Management Assistance
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 16, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Nov 17, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Sep 30, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$0
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$300,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$1,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Fish and Wildlife Service
<b>Description:</b>	The National Fish Habitat Action Plan is a national investment strategy to leverage federal and privately raised funds to protect, restore, and enhance the nation's fish and aquatic habitats through partnerships

that foster fish habitat conservation. Funds appropriated to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's (Service) Fish and Aquatic Conservation (FAC) Program specifically to implement the Action Plan will be utilized in collaboration with the National Fish Habitat Board and Fish Habitat Partnerships. Fish Habitat Partnerships are the primary work units of the Action Plan, formed around distinct geographic areas, "keystone" fish species, or system types (e.g. large lakes, impoundments, estuaries). Funds will support national and regional science and coordination activities to protect, restore, or enhance fish habitats. All or a portion of project funds may be transferred to partner organizations if the Service lacks the capability to implement a project. Projects must protect, restore, or enhance fish and aquatic habitats or otherwise directly support habitat-related priorities of Fish Habitat Partnerships or the National Fish Habitat Board. Every project must be identified in the Fisheries Operational Needs System (FONS), a database that identifies the operational needs of FAC field stations, including fish habitat project needs. FAC field offices will work with Fish Habitat Partnerships to identify fish habitat projects, and enter them into the FONS. Entities that seek to propose a fish habitat conservation project for consideration should contact a local or regional office of the Service FAC Program.

**Link to Additional Information:  
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**Department of Justice**







The DOJ agencies listed below also have sites that provide grant information specific to that agency. Examples of what can be found on these sites are programs, funding opportunities, application assistance, and other useful information.

[Bureau of Justice Assistance \(BJA\)](#)

[Bureau of Justice Statistics \(BJS\)](#)

[National Criminal Justice Reference Service \(NCJRS\)](#)

[National Institute of Justice \(NIJ\)](#)

[Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention \(OJJDP\)](#)

[Office of Sex Offender Sentencing, Monitoring, Apprehending, Registering, and Tracking \(SMART\)](#)

[Office for Victims of Crime \(OVC\)](#)

<http://www.justice.gov/business/>

Programs:

Office of Justice Programs

National Institute of Justice

Developing Improved Means to Collect Digital Evidence Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

NIJ-2016-8976

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Developing Improved Means to Collect Digital Evidence

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Law, Justice and Legal Services

**Category Explanation:**

<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	3
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 15, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 15, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 14, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 14, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$1,500,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$1,500,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Individuals Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments County governments State governments For profit organizations other than small businesses Small businesses Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Institute of Justice
<b>Description:</b>	With this solicitation, NIJ seeks proposals for funding to conduct research and technology development leading to the introduction into practice of new and innovative tools to: - Process large-scale computer networks for digital evidence in a forensically sound manner that preserves the probative value of the evidence that the computer network may contain; or -Process mobile devices voluntarily surrendered to law enforcement by witnesses or victims of an alleged crime, which will discriminate between data that is germane to that crime and that which is not, and which will only collect data that is germane; or -Automatically detect children in pornographic videos of varying quality. Individual applicants may propose to address one or more of these topics, but most do so in separate, discrete applications. Single applications proposing to address more than one topic will not be accepted.
<b>Link to Additional Information:</b>	<a href="http://nij.gov/funding/Documents/solicitations/NIJ-2016-8976.pdf">http://nij.gov/funding/Documents/solicitations/NIJ-2016-8976.pdf</a>
<b>Contact Information:</b>	If you have difficulty accessing the full



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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=281004>

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Office of Justice Programs  
Office on Violence Against Women  
OVW FY 2016 Technical Assistance Initiative Solicitation Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	OVW-2016-9146
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	OVW FY 2016 Technical Assistance Initiative Solicitation
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	Training and Technical Assistance on Violence Against Women Issues
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	60
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.526 -- OVW Technical Assistance Initiative
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 14, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 14, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 1, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 1, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Mar 31, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$34,400,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	National, tribal, statewide or other nonprofit organizations with the capacity to provide national training and technical assistance. OVW will support state, local or tribal governments or governmental agencies (e.g., police departments, prosecutor's offices, or probation departments), or local non-profit organizations however, in such circumstances, those entities must describe in detail their demonstrated history of providing training and technical assistance, and documentation that they have delivered training and TA to a national audience.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office on Violence Against Women
<b>Description:</b>	The primary purpose of the OVW Technical Assistance Program is to provide direct technical assistance to existing and potential grantees and sub grantees to enhance and support their efforts to successfully implement projects supported by OVW grant

funds. In addition, OVW is focused on building the capacity of criminal justice and victim services organizations to respond effectively to sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence and stalking and fostering partnerships among organizations that have not traditionally worked together to address violence against women.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[OVW FY 2016 Technical Assistance Initiative Solicitation - Full Announcement](#)

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Office of Justice Programs  
National Institute of Justice  
Postconviction Testing of DNA Evidence to Exonerate the Innocent Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	NIJ-2016-8998
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Postconviction Testing of DNA Evidence to Exonerate the Innocent
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Law, Justice and Legal Services
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	8
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.820 -- Postconviction Testing of DNA Evidence to Exonerate the Innocent
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 8, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 8, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 7, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 7, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$3,600,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$3,600,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	County governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education City or township governments State governments
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Institute of Justice
<b>Description:</b>	NIJ seeks proposals for funding to assist in defraying the costs associated with postconviction DNA testing in cases of violent felony offenses (as defined by State law) in which actual innocence might be demonstrated. Funds may be used to identify and review such postconviction cases and to

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Office of Justice Programs  
National Institute of Justice  
Research and Evaluation for the Testing and Interpretation of Physical Evidence in Publicly Funded Forensic Laboratories Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice  
**Funding Opportunity Number:** NIJ-2016-9011  
**Funding Opportunity Title:** Research and Evaluation for the Testing and Interpretation of Physical Evidence in Publicly Funded Forensic Laboratories

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary  
**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant  
**Category of Funding Activity:** Law, Justice and Legal Services  
**Category Explanation:**  
**Expected Number of Awards:** 12  
**CFDA Number(s):** 16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No  
**Posted Date:** Jan 7, 2016  
**Creation Date:** Jan 7, 2016  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Apr 6, 2016  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Apr 6, 2016

**Archive Date:**  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$3,000,000  
**Award Ceiling:** \$3,000,000  
**Eligible Applicants:** State governments  
County governments  
City or township governments  
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

**Agency Name:** National Institute of Justice  
**Description:** With this solicitation, NIJ seeks proposals for research and evaluation projects that will: 1. Identify and inform the forensic community of best practices through the evaluation of existing laboratory protocols; and 2. Have a direct and immediate impact on laboratory efficiency and assist in making laboratory policy decisions. The intent of this program is to direct the findings of the research and evaluation toward the identification of the

most efficient, accurate, reliable, and cost-effective methods for the identification, analysis, and interpretation of physical evidence for criminal justice purposes.  
<http://nij.gov/funding/Documents/solicitations/NIJ-2016-9011.pdf>

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Office of Justice Programs  
Office on Violence Against Women  
OVW FY 2016 Training and Services to End Violence Against Women with Disabilities Grant Program

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	OVW-2016-9147
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	OVW FY 2016 Training and Services to End Violence Against Women with Disabilities Grant Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	Training; disability; Deaf; domestic violence, dating violence, sexual violence and stalking;
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	15
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.529 -- Education, Training, and Enhanced Services to End Violence Against and Abuse of Women with Disabilities
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 27, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 27, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 10, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 10, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Apr 9, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$6,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$425,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$300,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) State governments City or township governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) County governments
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office on Violence Against Women
<b>Description:</b>	This program is authorized by 42 U.S.C. 3796gg-7. The goal of the Disability Grant Program is to create sustainable change within and between organizations that

results in increased capacity to respond to individuals with disabilities and Deaf individuals who are victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking and to hold perpetrators of such crimes accountable. Disability Grant Program funds will be used to establish and strengthen multidisciplinary collaborative relationships; increase organizational capacity to provide accessible, safe, and effective services to individuals with disabilities and Deaf individuals who are victims of violence and abuse; and identify needs within the grantee's organization and/or service area, and develop a plan to address those identified needs that builds a strong foundation for future work.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[OVW FY 2016 Training and Services to End Violence Against Women with Disabilities Grant Program](#)

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**Modifications:**

Office of Justice Programs  
Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention  
OJJDP FY 16 Second Chance Act Strengthening Relationships Between Young Fathers, Young Mothers, and Their Children  
Modification 2

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	OJJDP-2016-9135
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	OJJDP FY 16 Second Chance Act Strengthening Relationships Between Young Fathers, Young Mothers, and Their Children
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Law, Justice and Legal Services
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	8
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.831 -- Children of Incarcerated Parents
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 21, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 4, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 3, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 3, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$2,800,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$350,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)  
Native American tribal governments  
(Federally recognized)

Category 1: Young Fathers and Their Children Eligible applicants are limited to nonprofit organizations (including faith-based, tribal, and community nonprofit organizations) and federally recognized Indian tribes, as determined by the Secretary of the Interior, to provide comprehensive reentry support services, including mentoring, that will help justice-involved young fathers reintegrate into their communities and that address the purpose and goals listed in this solicitation. Category 2: Young Mothers and Their Children Eligible applicants are limited to nonprofit organizations (including faith-based, tribal, and community nonprofit organizations) and federally recognized Indian tribes, as determined by the Secretary of the Interior, to provide comprehensive reentry support services, including mentoring, that will help justice-involved young mothers reintegrate into their communities and that address the purpose and the goals listed in this solicitation. Applicants must submit letters of support or memoranda of understanding with juvenile justice or adult correctional agencies that oversee the reentry process for young fathers or mothers (younger than 25 years old). OJJDP strongly encourages applicants to partner with other community-based agencies that can enhance their project or leverage existing resources and local mental health or substance abuse treatment providers to provide holistic reentry support services, including the mentoring component. However, one eligible entity must be the applicant, and the others must be proposed as subrecipients. The applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire project. OJJDP will consider only one application per lead applicant; however, subrecipients may be part of multiple proposals.

**Agency Name:**

Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention

**Description:**

The Fiscal Year (FY) 2016 Second Chance Act Strengthening Relationships Between Young Fathers, Young Mothers, and Their Children initiative will provide funding to support the successful transition for young

fathers and mothers as they return to their families and communities from detention, out-of-home placement or incarceration. This program will fund coordinated and comprehensive strategies that incorporate (1) mentoring and transitional reentry services proven to reduce recidivism; (2) effective parenting skills development and parent/child relationship engagement for young fathers or mothers; and (3) private and community service partnerships that promote public safety and support added positive outcomes for young parents and their children. This solicitation has the following two categories: Category 1: Young Fathers and Their Children; and Category 2: Young Mothers and Their Children.

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Office of Justice Programs  
Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention  
OJJDP FY 16 Mentoring for Child Victims of Commercial Sexual Exploitation and Domestic Sex Trafficking Initiative  
Modifications 2 & 3

**Document Type:**  
**Funding Opportunity Number:**  
**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Grants Notice  
OJJDP-2016-9143  
OJJDP FY 16 Mentoring for Child Victims of Commercial Sexual Exploitation and Domestic Sex Trafficking Initiative  
Discretionary  
Grant  
Law, Justice and Legal Services

**Opportunity Category:**  
**Funding Instrument Type:**  
**Category of Funding Activity:**

<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	10
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.726 -- Juvenile Mentoring Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 30, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 7, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 7, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 7, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$1,350,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$450,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education City or township governments Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Private institutions of higher education County governments For profit organizations other than small businesses Small businesses State governments
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Eligible applicants are limited to states (including territories), units of local government (including federally recognized tribal governments, as determined by the Secretary of the Interior), nonprofit and for-profit organizations (including tribal nonprofit and for-profit organizations), and institutions of higher education (including tribal institutions of higher education). Eligible applicants must initiate mentoring services to youth who are 17 years old or younger. Recipient organizations, including for-profit organizations, must agree to forgo any profit or management fee. OJJDP welcomes applications that involve two or more eligible entities; however, one eligible entity must be the lead applicant and the others must be proposed as subrecipients. The lead applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire project. OJJDP will consider only one application per lead applicant; however, subrecipients may be part of multiple proposals.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention
<b>Description:</b>	This program supports efforts of eligible applicant organizations to develop or



enhance their mentoring capacity, facilitate outreach efforts, and increase the availability of direct services for child victims (17 years old or younger) of commercial sexual exploitation (CSE) and domestic sex trafficking (DST). Under this initiative, OJJDP expects successful applicants to join current and previously funded grantees and to work with a training and technical assistance provider to develop or enhance mentoring service models and mentor training based on best practices to focus on the needs of girls and boys, including lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and questioning (LGBTQ) youth who are at risk or are victims of CSE/DST; develop or update strategies to recruit and maintain mentors to serve this target population; begin or enhance efforts to identify and enroll girls and boys, including LGBTQ youth, who are in need of services; and provide needed services to these youth.

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<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	OVW-2016-9206
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	OVW FY 2016 Improving Criminal Justice Responses to Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Grant Program (also known as the Arrest Program)
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Law, Justice and Legal Services
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	48
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.590 -- Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 7, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 7, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 3, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 3, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Apr 2, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$50,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$900,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments State governments Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) County governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	State or tribal sexual assault or domestic violence coalitions, and certain governmental rape crisis centers (in a state other than a territory). State, local, tribal, and territorial courts (including juvenile courts).
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office on Violence Against Women
<b>Description:</b>	The United States Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women (OVW) ( <a href="http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov">www.ovw.usdoj.gov</a> ) is pleased to announce that it is seeking applications for the Improving Criminal Justice Responses to Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Grant Program (also known as the Grants to Encourage Arrest and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program). This program furthers the Department of Justice's mission by encouraging partnerships between state, local, and tribal governments, courts, victim service providers, coalitions and rape crisis centers, to ensure that sexual assault, domestic

violence, dating violence, and stalking are treated as serious violations of criminal law requiring the coordinated involvement of the entire criminal justice system and community-based victim service organizations.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[OVW FY 2016 Improving Criminal Justice Responses to Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Grant Program \(also known as the Arrest Program\)](#)

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Office of Justice Programs

Office on Violence Against Women

OVW FY 2016 Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking on Campus Program

Modification 1

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

OVW-2016-9145

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

OVW FY 2016 Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking on Campus Program

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Education

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)

**Category Explanation:**

Victim Services

**Expected Number of Awards:**

40

**CFDA Number(s):**

16.525 -- Grants to Reduce Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking on Campus

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

No

**Posted Date:**

Jan 7, 2016

**Creation Date:**

Jan 7, 2016

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Mar 3, 2016

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Mar 3, 2016

**Archive Date:**

Apr 2, 2016

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

\$20,000,000

**Award Ceiling:**

\$750,000

**Eligible Applicants:**

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Private institutions of higher education

**Agency Name:**

Office on Violence Against Women

**Description:**

Sexual assault, domestic violence, dating

violence, and stalking are serious problems on college and university campuses. Congress created the Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking on Campus Program (hereinafter referred to as the Campus Program) in recognition of the unique issues and challenges that colleges and universities face in preventing and responding to these crimes. This program is authorized by 42 U.S.C. § 14045b. The Campus Program encourages a comprehensive coordinated community approach that enhances victim safety, provides services for victims and supports efforts to hold offenders accountable. The funding supports activities that develop and strengthen victim services and strategies to prevent, investigate, respond to and prosecute these crimes. The development of campus-wide coordinated responses involving campus victim service providers, law enforcement officers, health providers, housing officials, administrators, student leaders, faith-based leaders, representatives from student organizations, and disciplinary board members is critical. To be effective, campus responses must also link to local off-campus criminal justice agencies and service providers, including local law enforcement agencies, prosecutors' offices, courts, and nonprofit, nongovernmental victim advocacy and victim services organizations. Campuses are encouraged to create or revitalize large-scale efforts that treat sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking as serious offenses by adopting policies and protocols, developing victim services and programs that prioritize victim safety, ensuring offender accountability, and implementing effective prevention approaches. Colleges and universities should demonstrate to every student that these crimes will not be tolerated, that perpetrators will face serious consequences, and that holistic services are available for victims. Please see the Campus TA supplemental document at <http://www.justice.gov/tribal/file/811236/download> for more information on strategies that campuses can use to implement the program requirements.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[OVW FY 2016 Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking on Campus Program](#)

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OVW FY 2016 Enhanced Training and Services to End Abuse in Later Life Program Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

OVW-2016-9085

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

OVW FY 2016 Enhanced Training and Services to End Abuse in Later Life Program

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Income Security and Social Services

Law, Justice and Legal Services

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

8

**CFDA Number(s):**

16.528 -- Enhanced Training and Services to End Violence and Abuse of Women Later in Life

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

No

**Posted Date:**

Dec 10, 2015

**Creation Date:**

Dec 9, 2015

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Feb 11, 2016

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Feb 11, 2016

**Archive Date:**

Mar 12, 2016

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

\$3,000,000

**Award Ceiling:**

\$400,000

**Eligible Applicants:**

City or township governments

State governments

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Special district governments

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

County governments

Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

state, tribal, or territorial domestic violence or sexual assault coalitions

**Agency Name:**

Office on Violence Against Women

**Description:**

The Enhanced Training and Services to End Abuse in Later Life Program provides or enhances training and services to address elder abuse, neglect, and exploitation, including sexual assault, domestic violence, dating

**Link to Additional Information:**

violence, or stalking, involving victims who are 50 years of age or older.

[OVW FY 2016 Enhanced Training and Services to End Abuse in Later Life Program](#)

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Office of Justice Programs

Office on Violence Against Women

OVW FY 2016 Transitional Housing Assistance Grants for Victims of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Stalking or Sexual Assault Program Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

OVW-2016-9007

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

OVW FY 2016 Transitional Housing Assistance Grants for Victims of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Stalking or Sexual Assault Program

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Housing

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)

**Category Explanation:**

Violence Against Women, Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Stalking

**Expected Number of Awards:**

68

**CFDA Number(s):**

16.736 -- Transitional Housing Assistance for Victims of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Stalking, or Sexual Assault

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

No

**Posted Date:**

Dec 21, 2015

**Creation Date:**

Dec 18, 2015

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Feb 24, 2016

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Feb 24, 2016

**Archive Date:**

Mar 25, 2016

**Eligible Applicants:**

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

City or township governments

County governments

State governments

Native American tribal organizations (other than

Federally recognized tribal governments)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

**Agency Name:**

Office on Violence Against Women

**Description:**

The Transitional Housing Assistance Grants for Victims of Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Program focuses on a holistic, victim-centered approach to providing transitional housing

services that move survivors into permanent housing. Awards support programs that provide assistance to victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and/or stalking who are in need of transitional housing, short-term housing assistance, and related support services. Successful transitional housing programs provide a wide range of optional services that reflect the unique needs of victims and promote victim choice and autonomy. Transitional housing programs may offer support services, such as counseling, support groups, safety planning, advocacy, child care, employment services, transportation vouchers, and referrals to other agencies. Trained staff work with survivors to help them determine and reach their goals for permanent housing.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[OVW FY 2016 Transitional Housing Assistance Grants for Victims of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Stalking or Sexual Assault Program](#)

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Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention

OJJDP FY 16 Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force National Training Program Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	OJJDP-2016-9156
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	OJJDP FY 16 Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force National Training Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Law, Justice and Legal Services
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	3
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.543 -- Missing Children's Assistance
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 23, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 23, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 1, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 1, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$3,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$1,100,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$500,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	For profit organizations other than small businesses Small businesses Private institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher



**Agency Name:****Description:**

education

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention

The Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) seeks to identify training providers to serve the Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force Program. The state and regional ICAC task forces work collaboratively as a national network of law enforcement and prosecutorial agencies that prevent, interdict, and investigate technology-facilitated child sexual exploitation and Internet crimes against children. This program furthers the Department's mission by providing training and support to enhance the effectiveness of law enforcement, prosecutors, and other professionals involved in investigating and prosecuting technology-facilitated child sexual exploitation.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[The Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention \(OJJDP\) seeks to identify training providers to serve the Internet Crimes Against Children \(ICAC\) Task Force Program.](#)

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OJJDP FY 16 Second Chance Act Strengthening Relationships Between Young Fathers, Young Mothers, and Their Children Grant

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**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

OJJDP-2016-9135

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

OJJDP FY 16 Second Chance Act Strengthening Relationships Between Young Fathers, Young Mothers, and Their Children

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Law, Justice and Legal Services

**Category Explanation:**



<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	8
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.831 -- Children of Incarcerated Parents
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 21, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 22, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 3, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 3, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$2,800,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$350,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Category 1: Young Fathers and Their Children Eligible applicants are limited to nonprofit organizations (including faith-based, tribal, and community nonprofit organizations) and federally recognized Indian tribes, as determined by the Secretary of the Interior, to provide comprehensive reentry support services, including mentoring, that will help justice-involved young fathers reintegrate into their communities and that address the purpose and goals listed in this solicitation. Category 2: Young Mothers and Their Children Eligible applicants are limited to nonprofit organizations (including faith-based, tribal, and community nonprofit organizations) and federally recognized Indian tribes, as determined by the Secretary of the Interior, to provide comprehensive reentry support services, including mentoring, that will help justice-involved young mothers reintegrate into their communities and that address the purpose and the goals listed in this solicitation. Applicants must submit letters of support or memoranda of understanding with juvenile justice or adult correctional agencies that oversee the reentry process for young fathers or mothers (younger than 25 years old). OJJDP strongly encourages applicants to partner with other community-based agencies that can enhance their project or leverage existing resources and local mental health or substance abuse treatment providers to provide holistic reentry support services, including the mentoring component. However, one eligible entity must be the applicant, and the others must be proposed as subrecipients. The applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire project. OJJDP will consider only one application per lead applicant; however, subrecipients may be part of multiple proposals.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention
<b>Description:</b>	The Fiscal Year (FY) 2016 Second Chance Act Strengthening Relationships Between Young Fathers, Young Mothers, and Their Children initiative will provide funding to support the successful transition for young fathers and mothers as they return to their families

and communities from detention, out-of-home placement or incarceration. This program will fund coordinated and comprehensive strategies that incorporate (1) mentoring and transitional reentry services proven to reduce recidivism; (2) effective parenting skills development and parent/child relationship engagement for young fathers or mothers; and (3) private and community service partnerships that promote public safety and support added positive outcomes for young parents and their children.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[The Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention \(OJJDP\) envisions a nation where our children are healthy, educated, and free from violence. If they come into contact with the juvenile justice system, the contact should be rare, fair, and b](#)

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OJJDP FY 16 VOCA Regional Children Advocacy Center Program Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	OJJDP-2016-9155
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	OJJDP FY 16 VOCA Regional Children Advocacy Center Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Law, Justice and Legal Services
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	4
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.758 -- Improving the Investigation and Prosecution of Child Abuse and the Regional and Local Children's Advocacy Centers
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 30, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 30, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 7, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 7, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	

<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$5,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$1,250,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Small businesses Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	For profit organizations other than small businesses Eligible applicants are limited to local public and private nonprofit children's advocacy center agencies and organizations that can demonstrate a minimum of 5 years of experience providing regional or national training and technical assistance to a wide range of multidisciplinary professionals and others (including children's advocacy center staff) with respect to the judicial handling and investigative response to child abuse and neglect cases. For-profit organizations must agree to forgo any profit or management fee. Nonprofit organizations that hold money in offshore accounts for the purpose of avoiding paying the tax described in 26 U.S.C. 511(a) are not eligible to apply. OJJDP welcomes applications from two or more entities; however, one eligible entity must be the applicant and the others must be proposed as subrecipients. The applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire program. Only one application per lead applicant will be considered; however, subrecipients may be part of multiple proposals. OJJDP may elect to make awards for applications submitted under this solicitation in future fiscal years, dependent on the merit of the applications and on the availability of appropriations. For additional eligibility information, see Section C. Eligibility Information.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention
<b>Description:</b>	Children's advocacy centers provide a coordinated response to victims of child abuse through multidisciplinary teams composed of representatives from community agencies and professionals involved with intervention, prevention, prosecution, and investigation systems that respond to child abuse cases. The program objectives of a CAC are to: Assist communities in developing child-focused, community-oriented, facility-based programs to improve the resources available to child victims and families. Provide support for nonoffending family members. Enhance coordination among community agencies and professionals involved in the intervention, prevention, prosecution, and investigation systems that respond to child abuse cases. Train physicians and other healthcare and mental healthcare professionals in the multidisciplinary approach to child abuse.
<b>Link to Additional Information:</b>	<a href="#">The Victims of Child Abuse Regional Children's Advocacy Centers program supports four regional centers, one situated within each of the four U.S. Census</a>

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Office of Justice Programs  
Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention  
OJJDP FY 16 Mentoring for Child Victims of Commercial Sexual Exploitation and Domestic Sex  
Trafficking Initiative  
Modification 1

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	OJJDP-2016-9143
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	OJJDP FY 16 Mentoring for Child Victims of Commercial Sexual Exploitation and Domestic Sex Trafficking Initiative
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Law, Justice and Legal Services
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	10
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.726 -- Juvenile Mentoring Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 30, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 30, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 7, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 7, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$1,350,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$450,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) City or township governments Private institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education County governments State governments For profit organizations other than small businesses

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)  
Small businesses  
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
Eligible applicants are limited to states (including territories), units of local government (including federally recognized tribal governments, as determined by the Secretary of the Interior), nonprofit and for-profit organizations (including tribal nonprofit and for-profit organizations), and institutions of higher education (including tribal institutions of higher education). Eligible applicants must initiate mentoring services to youth who are 17 years old or younger. Recipient organizations, including for-profit organizations, must agree to forgo any profit or management fee. OJJDP welcomes applications that involve two or more eligible entities; however, one eligible entity must be the lead applicant and the others must be proposed as subrecipients. The lead applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire project. OJJDP will consider only one application per lead applicant; however, subrecipients may be part of multiple proposals.

**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention  
This program supports efforts of eligible applicant organizations to develop or enhance their mentoring capacity, facilitate outreach efforts, and increase the availability of direct services for child victims (17 years old or younger) of commercial sexual exploitation (CSE) and domestic sex trafficking (DST). Under this initiative, OJJDP expects successful applicants to join current and previously funded grantees and to work with OJJDP's training and technical assistance provider to develop or enhance mentoring service models and mentor training based on best practices to focus on the needs of girls and boys, including lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and questioning (LGBTQ) youth who are at risk or are victims of CSE/DST; develop or update strategies to recruit and maintain mentors to serve this target population; begin or enhance efforts to identify and enroll girls and boys, including LGBTQ youth, who are in need of services; and provide needed services to these youth.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[This program supports the development or enhancement of mentoring programs and increases the availability of direct services for child victims \(17 years old or younger\) of commercial sexual exploitation and domestic sex trafficking.](#)

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Office of Justice Programs  
Office on Violence Against Women  
OVW FY 2016 Grants to Enhance Culturally Specific Services for Victims of Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence and Stalking Program Solicitation  
Modification 1

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	OVW-2016-9149
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	OVW FY 2016 Grants to Enhance Culturally Specific Services for Victims of Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence and Stalking Program Solicitation
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Education Employment, Labor and Training Health Housing Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Income Security and Social Services Law, Justice and Legal Services
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	20
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	16.016 -- Culturally and Linguistically Specific Services Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 21, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 29, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 24, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 24, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Mar 25, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$300,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office on Violence Against Women

**Description:**

The Grants to Enhance Culturally Specific Services for Victims of Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence and Stalking Program supports community-based non-profit organizations in providing culturally relevant services to victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[OVW FY 2016 Grants to Enhance Culturally Specific Services for Victims of Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence and Stalking Program Solicitation](https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=280684)

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**Agency Grants and Contract General Overview****DOL Resources****Apply for DOL Agency-Specific Grants:**

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- [Mine Safety & Health Administration \(MSHA\)](#)
- [Bureau of International Labor Affairs \(ILAB\)](#)



- [Veterans' Employment and Training Service \(VETS\)](#)
- [Office of Disability Employment Policy \(ODEP\)](#)
- [Office of the Assistant Secretary for Administration and Management \(OASAM\)](#)

#### Other Grant Resources:

- [Federal Funding Opportunities with FedGrants.gov](#)

#### Grants Information

[Grants.gov](#) — Web site for all customers of federal grants to electronically find, apply for, and manage grants. Getting Started with Grants.gov.

#### DOL Resources and Instructions for Applying for a Grant

- [DOL Guidance Clarifying the Effect of the Religious Freedom Restoration Act on Faith-Based Organizations](#)
- [Grant and Contract Information](#)
- [Contracting and Grant Program Overview](#)
- [Annual Acquisition Plan & Procurement Forecast](#)
- [Civil Rights Enforcement for Department of Labor Grant Recipients](#)
- [More Information About Grants](#)
- [Use of Contracts, Grants & Cooperative Agreements](#)

#### Other Federal Government Grant Information

- [List of Parties Excluded From Federal Procurement and Nonprocurement Programs](#) (as created and maintained by GSA)
- [Grant Opportunities \(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance\)](#)

#### Department of Labor Grant Programs

- **Bureau of International Labor Affairs (ILAB):** provides grants (cooperative agreements) for the implementation of projects designed to assist developing countries combat the worse forms of child labor, forced labor, and human trafficking; and support worker rights and improve working conditions. <http://www.dol.gov/general/business>.
- **Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS):** provides project grants (cooperative agreements) and the dissemination of technical statistical data and related information on labor force activities; provides data on prices (CPI) and cost of living; data on productivity and technology data; data on compensation and working conditions; data on employment projections.
- **Employment and Training (ETA):** ETA administers financial assistance programs pursuant to the Workforce Investment Act (WIA), administering State formula grant programs for youth, adults and dislocated workers, national emergency grants for workers affected by mass layoffs, plant closures, and disasters; grant programs for workers with disabilities, Indians and Native Americans, and for migrant and seasonal farmworkers. ETA also administers grant programs for older American workers, apprenticeship programs, Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) programs, and assistance for research and development of workforce programs. In addition, ETA is responsible for the operation and maintenance of a national system of public employment service offices and for the national unemployment insurance program.
- **Mine Safety and Health (MSHA):** provides grants for research, education and training programs to ensure an adequate and competent staff of trained inspectors; and assistance for establishing or improving State mine health and safety programs through technical assistance.
- **Occupational Safety and Health (OSHA):** provides grants to non-profit organizations to provide training, educational services, and technical assistance; assistance to states to administer and enforce state programs; assistance to states to provide occupational safety and health technical assistance and consultant services.
- **Office of Disability Employment Policy (ODEP):** The Office of Disability Employment Policy awards competitive grants establishing short-term pilot and technical assistance projects designed to identify, develop, test, evaluate, and disseminate policies to increase employment by expanding




access to training, education, employment supports, assistive and systems technology, integrated employment, entrepreneurial development, and small business opportunities for adults and youth with disabilities. Current pilots projects focus on customized employment, Olmstead populations, and innovative demonstration youth grants, among others. Solicitations for grant applications are published in the Federal Register and announced at [www.dol.gov/odep](http://www.dol.gov/odep). ODEP grants are awarded by the [OASAM grant office](#).

- **Veterans' Employment and Training (VETS):** provides special employment and training assistance for veterans through the [Disabled Veterans' Outreach Program \(DVOP\) Solicitation for Grant Applications](#); the Local Veterans' Employment Representative Program (LVER); [Veterans' Workforce Investment Program \(VWIP\)](#); [elaws Advisor on veterans' employment and reemployment rights](#); and the [Homeless Veterans Reintegration Project \(HVRP\)](#). VETS grants are awarded by the [OASAM grant office](#).

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Here you will find information on grant applicants and grants awards made after **September 1, 2011**. The Grant Application and Award Database has multiple ways to view and download grant data. To find information on the database, enter a keyword or select the map to find a grant near you.

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- Trade Adjustment Assistance Community College and Career Training Grant SGA-DFA-PY-11-08
- Workforce Innovation Fund SGA-DFA-PY-11-05B
- Trade Adjustment Assistance Community College and Career Training Grants Program - SGA-DFA-PY-10-03
- H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants - SGA-DFA-PY-10-13
- Jobs and Innovation Accelerator Challenge 2011- SGA-DFA-PY-10-15
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- FY 2011 Brookwood-Sago Grants -SGA11-3BS
- Download all Grant Information (CSV)

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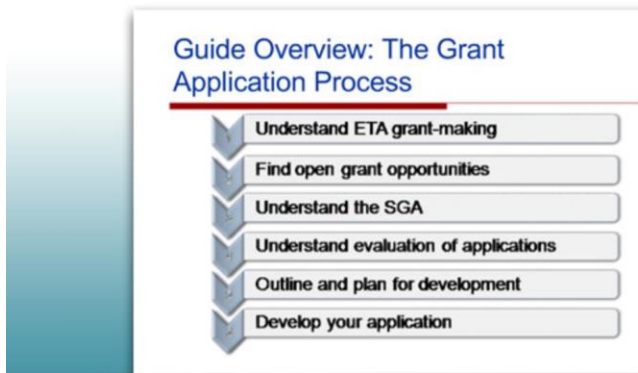
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Employment and Training Administration  
Strengthening Working Families Initiative Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	FOA-ETA-16-05
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Strengthening Working Families Initiative
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Employment, Labor and Training
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	10
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	17.268 -- H-1B Job Training Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 17, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 17, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 16, 2016 Applications must be received no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 16, 2016 Applications must be received no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Apr 15, 2016

<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$25,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$4,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	<p>In keeping with the authority provided by Congress under Section 414 (c) of ACWIA, grants will be awarded to the lead applicant of a public and private partnership of entities that includes: • The public workforce investment system; • Education and training providers, such as community colleges, community-based and faith-based organizations, and “bootcamp” style tech programs; and • Business entities. Applications must include significant employer engagement, including a minimum of at least three employer partners, or an employer or regional industry association consisting of at least three employers, with demonstrated engagement in the project. Additional partners that reflect the character and resources of the local or regional economy and the community are strongly encouraged.</p>
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Employment and Training Administration
<b>Description:</b>	<p>This announcement solicits applications for the Strengthening Working Families Initiative (SWFI) grant program. On June 23, 2014, President Obama convened the White House Summit on Working Families, which was jointly hosted by the Department of Labor, Center for American Progress and the White House Council on Women and Girls. During the Summit, participants (including businesses, economists, labor leaders, legislators, advocates, the media and ordinary citizens) discussed issues that working families face. The Summit was the beginning of a larger conversation about the changes necessary in society, business policies, and in our laws to ensure that all Americans have the opportunity to have a job and a family. Working parents, particularly those with low incomes and low skills, face significant barriers to employment. Six out of ten households with children have all parents working (married working or single working parents), increasing the need for affordable and quality child care. With more parents working, greater access to affordable,</p>

high-quality child care is needed but is difficult to find due to steadily increasing child care costs and relatively stagnant funding to cover the costs of child care. Even where affordable child care exists, parents have to deal with unpredictable situations where child care may be unavailable, such as when their child is sick, the child care provider is closed, they are attending professional development sessions, and other emergencies that may result in parents needing alternative solutions. Additionally, an increasing number of families have employers who shift the family member's work schedule with minimal notice, making stable child care harder to find. It can be difficult to handle these unexpected situations, particularly for low-wage workers who cannot afford to take unpaid leave and are less likely to have flexibility in the workplace. While training and education can help move parents into better paying jobs, some of the barriers to employment also serve as barriers to training and education. The lack of access to affordable and consistent child care can keep parents from attending training and educational programs. Of the 21 million low-income parents, only 1 in 10 participates in education and training. For those low-income parents participating in education and training, almost half were working at the same time, resulting in the additional burden of arranging for and paying the cost of child care while at work, while in training, and while commuting. As education and earnings are strongly linked, this FOA supports providing access to education and training to help move parents along a career pathway that will lead to better paying jobs. This FOA also encourages applicants to develop an approach that provides skills training leading to family-supporting jobs for low-to middle-skilled parents while simultaneously developing and implementing a plan for the applicant's community or region that helps families better navigate the existing complex systems of supportive services, including increased access to child care. To help meet these objectives, the Department is interested in supporting evidence-based strategies or innovations based on these

models that remove a range of barriers to training, including child care and other needs that working families face, by investing in education and skills training in combination with customized participant supportive services. Of particular interest are new promising ideas developed through human centered design methodology and behavioral insight research. Program strategies must include moving lower- to middle-skilled individuals into middle- to high-skilled jobs, with the goals of increasing family-supporting wages and enabling the success of the parent. In particular, the Department is interested in supporting parents – defined as custodial parent, legal guardian, foster parent, or other person standing in loco parentis – who face a barrier to training, including child care and other participant supportive service needs, and are in need of increasing skills and competencies that will either prepare them for entry into an H-1B-aligned career pathway or advancement along an H-1B-aligned career pathway and into middle- or high-skilled jobs. Through this FOA, the Department aims to address education and training barriers for low- to middle-skilled parents by prioritizing the needs of this targeted population; addressing child care needs for parents seeking education and training; increasing access to child care resources; and bridging the gap between the workforce development and child care systems. As applicants design their training strategies to meet the needs of working parents, they should consider the delivery methods and scheduling of training as important factors in providing the flexibility that working parents may require for participation in training. This may include adjusting curriculum design to provide flexible course offerings, expanding asynchronous learning options, or providing online courses. It could also include delivering training through banded schedules to enable parents to accommodate their work schedules and make it easier for working parents to make child care arrangements. Another possibility is the inclusion of training onsite at the workplace, particularly if child care is provided in the same location. An important element of this FOA is the

need for communities to address how local areas will help parents navigate complex systems and access the child care services they need. The SWFI grants will provide the platform for strengthening partnerships between systems (workforce training providers and child care providers) to ensure consistency in care and flexibility in services. To support these efforts, applicants are required to leverage cash or in-kind resources amounting to at least 25 percent of the total award.

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Employment and Training Administration  
Tech Hire Partnership Grants

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	FOA-ETA-16-01
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Tech Hire Partnership Grants
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Employment, Labor and Training
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	35
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	17.268 -- H-1B Job Training Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 17, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Nov 17, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 11, 2016 Applications must be received no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 11, 2016 Applications must be received no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Apr 10, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$100,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$5,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$2,000,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Grants will be awarded to the lead applicant, which will serve as the grantee and have overall fiscal and

administrative responsibility for the grant. Eligible lead applicants must be public or non-profit organizations that: 1) meet the definition of one of the three types of eligible entities described below; and 2) apply in partnership with at least one representative of each of the three types of eligible entities (including the lead applicant), which collectively form the “primary partnership.” An eligible entity cannot serve as more than one type of entity for the purpose of meeting the requirements to include three types of entities in the primary partnership. To be eligible for consideration, applications must include at least one representative of each of the following three types of entities: a) the workforce investment system; b) education and training providers; and c) business-related nonprofit organizations, an organization functioning as a workforce intermediary for the express purpose of serving the needs of businesses, or a consortium of three or more businesses, or at least three independent businesses. Applications that do not include all three entities mentioned above will be considered non-responsive and will not be reviewed. Detailed eligibility requirements for each type of entity are provided in Section III of the announcement.

**Agency Name:**

Employment and Training  
Administration

**Description:**

The Employment and Training Administration (ETA), U.S. Department of Labor (DOL, or the Department, or we), announces the availability of approximately \$100,000,000 in grant funds for the TechHire partnership grant program. This grant program is designed to equip individuals with the skills they need through innovative approaches that can rapidly train workers for and connect them to well-paying, middle- and high-skilled, and high-growth jobs across a diversity of H-1B industries such as Information

Technology (IT), healthcare, advanced manufacturing, financial services, and broadband. Projects funded by this grant program will help participants begin careers in H-1B occupations and industries which are in-demand and/or high growth in the area applicants are proposing to serve. On a limited basis, this grant program will also enable applicants to work with companies on increasing the skills of existing workers in lower-skilled jobs to move into more highly skilled positions requiring technology-related skills. These grants will pilot and scale public-private partnerships among the workforce investment system, education and training providers, and business-related nonprofit organizations to address the following goals for the target populations: 1) Expand access to accelerated learning options that provide the fastest paths to good jobs, such as “bootcamp” style programs, online options, and competency-based programs to give people the skills required for employment in three months to two years among people with historic barriers to accessing employment and training; 2) Improve the likelihood that those populations complete training and enter employment, through specialized training strategies, supportive services and other focused participant services that assist targeted populations to overcome barriers, including networking and job search, active job development, transportation, mentoring, and financial counseling; 3) Connect those who have received training or who already have the skills required for employment, but are being overlooked, to employment, paid internships, or Registered Apprenticeship opportunities that allow them to get work experience and prove themselves to hiring employers; 4) Demonstrate strong commitment to customer-centered



design and excellence in customer experience, so that the programs and services reflect real need of employers and participants, through human centered design methodology and other methods of design thinking; and 5) Ensure that innovations form the basis for broader change and sustainability over time and that a clear strategy exists for adapting to rapidly changing market needs after the initial period of the grant.

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**National Aeronautics and Space Administration**

**Research and Contracting Opportunities**

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- Various NASA offices publish their research announcements over the Internet, broadening the opportunity for researchers to apply for funding. This site provides access to current research announcements along with their specific due dates.
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To submit a research proposal to NASA, individuals and the organizations with which they are affiliated must be registered in NSPIRES. Individuals may register at any time.

Organizations are required to have a valid registration with the System for Award Management (SAM) before they can register in NSPIRES. See [Registration Information](#) for more details on user and organization registration.

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### Modifications:

### NASA Stennis Space Center

#### Cooperative Agreement Notice (CAN) 2016 at NASA John C. Stennis Center

#### Modification 2

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## National Archives and Records Administration

### Grant Opportunities General Overview

To access the information below: [click here](#)

The screenshot displays the National Archives and Records Administration website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for "Blogs", "Bookmark/Share", and "Contact Us". Below this is a search bar labeled "Search Archives.gov" with a "GO" button. The main navigation menu includes "Research Our Records", "Veterans Service Records", "Teachers' Resources", "Our Locations", and "Shop Online". The page title is "National Historical Publications & Records Commission". The breadcrumb trail shows "Home > NHPRC > Grant Opportunities". The left sidebar contains a "Grant Program" section with links for "Grant Opportunities", "Application Instructions", and "What We Do/Do Not Fund". It also features a download link for the NHPRC logo and a video titled "Learn why Democracy Starts Here". The main content area is titled "Grant Opportunities" and lists three grant programs: "Access to Historical Records", "Digital Dissemination of Archival Collections", and "Literacy and Engagement with Historical Records". Each program includes a brief description and a final deadline.

**Grant Opportunities**

- **Access to Historical Records**  
The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals that promote the preservation and use of historical records collections to broaden understanding of our democracy, history, and culture. This grant program is designed to support archival repositories in preserving and processing primary source materials. The program emphasizes the creation of online tools that facilitate the public discovery of historical records.
  - Final Deadline: June 15, 2016
- **Digital Dissemination of Archival Collections**  
The National Historical Publications and Records Commission desires to make historical records of national significance to the United States broadly available by disseminating digital surrogates on the Internet.
  - Final Deadline: October 8, 2015
- **Literacy and Engagement with Historical Records**  
The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks projects that encourage citizen engagement with historical records, especially those available online, and/or projects that train people on how to enhance digital literacy skills for using historical records.
  - Final Deadline: October 8, 2015
- **Institutes for Historical Editing**  
The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals to improve the training and education of historical documentary editors. The goal of the program is to both provide technical training in necessary skills and inspire documentary editors to think about how they can contribute to the advancement of the field in the 21st century. The Institutes for Historical Editing should consist of both basic and advanced Institutes.
  - Final Deadline: February 11, 2016

Reminders:

## State Board Programming Grants

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	STATE-201606
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	State Board Programming Grants
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	25
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	89.003 -- National Historical Publications and Records Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 24, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Nov 23, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jun 15, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jun 15, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jul 15, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$650,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$80,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	State governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	These grants are awarded only to SHRABs in each state, or to the state agency responsible for the SHRAB, ordinarily the state archives. Another state agency, or a non-profit organization, such as a foundation or university, acting on behalf of the designated state agency may apply. States also include the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and United States territories.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Archives and Records Administration
<b>Description:</b>	The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals that strengthen the nation's archival network through activities undertaken by state historical records advisory boards (SHRABs). The purpose of this grant program is to assist state boards to enhance access to historical records, increase citizen engagement with records, and provide learning and development opportunities for students, citizens and professional archivists. The Commission will award grants to State Historical Records Advisory Boards to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provide educational and outreach programs, workshops, and other activities that enhance citizen and student engagement with historical records</li><li>• Operate state-based regrant and scholarship programs that advance access to</li></ul>

historical records • Collaborate on projects with other organizations to address common problems or shared opportunities within a state or among a consortium of state archives • Hold or participate in meetings and public forums on statewide or national archival issues. For a comprehensive list of Commission limitations on funding, please see What We Do and Do Not Fund. Applications that consist entirely of ineligible activities will not be considered. Award Information A grant is for one year and for up to \$40,000 or for two years and for up to \$80,000. The NHPRC expects to award approximately 25 grants in this program. The total amount allocated for this program is up to \$650,000. Grants begin no earlier than January 1, 2017. The Commission requires that grant recipients acknowledge NHPRC grant assistance in all publicity, publications, and other products that result from its support. Eligibility These grants are awarded only to SHRABs in each state, or to the state agency responsible for the SHRAB, ordinarily the state archives. Another state agency, or a non-profit organization, such as a foundation or university, acting on behalf of the designated state agency may apply. States also include the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and United States territories. Cost Sharing The total costs of a project are shared between the NHPRC and the applicant organization. The Commission provides no more than 75 per cent of total direct project costs in the State Board Programming Grants category. NHPRC grant recipients are not permitted to use grant funds for indirect costs (as indicated in 2 CFR 2600.101). Cost sharing is required. The applicant's financial contribution may include both direct and indirect expenses, in-kind contributions, non-Federal third-party contributions, and any income earned directly by the project. Indirect costs must be listed under the applicant's cost sharing contribution. Other Requirements Applicant organizations must be registered in System for Award Management (SAM) prior to submitting an application, maintain SAM registration throughout the application and award process, and include a valid DUNS number in their application. Details on SAM registration and requesting a DUNS number can be found at the System for Award Management website at <https://sam.gov>. Please refer to the User Guides section and the Grants Registrations PDF. A complete application includes the Application for Federal Assistance (Standard Form 424), Assurances - Non-Construction Programs (Standard Form 424B), a Project Narrative, Summary, Supplementary Materials, and Budget. Applications lacking these items will not be considered. Ineligible applications will not be reviewed.

[Link to full grant announcement, including additional requirements](#)

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Publishing Historical Records in Documentary Editions Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	EDITIONS-201606
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Publishing Historical Records in Documentary Editions
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	25
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	89.003 -- National Historical Publications and Records Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 24, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Nov 23, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jun 15, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jun 15, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jul 15, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$2,500,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$200,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	County governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) City or township governments Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education State governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Archives and Records Administration
<b>Description:</b>	The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals to publish documentary editions of historical records. Projects may focus on the papers of major figures from American history or cover broad historical movements in politics, military, business, social reform, the arts, and other aspects of the national experience. The historical value of the records and their expected usefulness to broad audiences must justify the costs of the project. The goal of this program is to provide access to, and editorial context for, the historical documents and records that tell the American story. The NHPRC encourages projects, whenever possible and appropriate, to provide access to these materials in a free and open online environment, without precluding other forms of publication. Applicants should demonstrate

familiarity with the best practices recommended by the Association for Documentary Editing or the Modern Language Association Committee on Scholarly Editions. Projects may also prepare print editions as part of their overall publishing plan. However, projects that do not have definitive plans for digital dissemination and preservation in place at the time of application will not be considered. It is also expected that the contents of any print volumes produced will be made available online within a reasonable period of time following print publication. Grants are awarded for collecting, describing, preserving, compiling, transcribing, annotating, editing, encoding, and publishing documentary source materials in print and online. Because of the focus on documentary sources, grants do not support preparation of critical editions of published works unless such works are just a small portion of the larger project. All applicants should be aware that the application process is highly competitive. Ongoing projects: Applicants from ongoing projects must demonstrate that they have successfully achieved the performance objectives associated with previous NHPRC awards; provide updated, current information, including a description of the new activities as well as description and significance of the specific materials to be edited during the proposed grant period; show progress towards completing the edition; and justify costs in a new budget. For a comprehensive list of Commission's limitations on funding, please see What We Do and Do Not Fund. Applications that consist entirely of ineligible activities will not be considered. Award Information A grant is for one year and for up to \$200,000. The Commission expects to make up to 25 grants in this category for a total of up to \$2,500,000. Grants begin no earlier than January 1, 2017. The Commission requires that grant recipients acknowledge NHPRC grant assistance in all publications and other products that result from its support. Eligibility U.S. nonprofit organizations or institutions U.S. colleges, universities, and other academic institutions State or local government agencies Federally-acknowledged or state-recognized Native American tribes or groups Cost Sharing The total costs of a project are shared between the NHPRC and the applicant organization. The Commission provides no more than 50 per cent of total direct project costs in the Publishing Historical Records in Documentary Editions category. NHPRC grant recipients are not permitted to use grant funds for indirect costs (as indicated in 2 CFR 2600.101). Cost sharing is required. The applicant's financial contribution may include both direct and indirect expenses, in-kind contributions, non-Federal third-party contributions, and any income earned directly by the project. Indirect costs must be listed under the applicant's cost sharing contribution. Other Requirements Applicant organizations must be registered in the System for Award

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Publishing Historical Records in Documentary Editions Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	EDITIONS-201610
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Publishing Historical Records in Documentary Editions
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	25
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	89.003 -- National Historical Publications and Records Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 24, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Nov 23, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Oct 6, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Oct 6, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Nov 4, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$2,500,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$200,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Private institutions of higher education County governments City or township governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education



**Agency Name:****Description:**

State governments

National Archives and Records Administration

The National Historical Publications and Records

Commission seeks proposals to publish documentary editions of historical records. Projects may focus on the papers of major figures from American history or cover broad historical movements in politics, military, business, social reform, the arts, and other aspects of the national experience. The historical value of the records and their expected usefulness to broad audiences must justify the costs of the project. The goal of this program is to provide access to, and editorial context for, the historical documents and records that tell the American story. The NHPRC encourages projects, whenever possible and appropriate, to provide access to these materials in a free and open online environment, without precluding other forms of publication. Applicants should demonstrate familiarity with the best practices recommended by the Association for Documentary Editing or the Modern Language Association Committee on Scholarly Editions. Projects may also prepare print editions as part of their overall publishing plan. However, projects that do not have definitive plans for digital dissemination and preservation in place at the time of application will not be considered. It is also expected that the contents of any print volumes produced will be made available online within a reasonable period of time following print publication. Grants are awarded for collecting, describing, preserving, compiling, transcribing, annotating, editing, encoding, and publishing documentary source materials in print and online. Because of the focus on documentary sources, grants do not support preparation of critical editions of published works unless such works are just a small portion of the larger project. All applicants should be aware that the application process is highly competitive. Ongoing projects: Applicants from ongoing projects must demonstrate that they have successfully achieved the performance objectives associated with previous NHPRC awards; provide updated, current information, including a description of the new activities as well as description and significance of the specific materials to be edited during the proposed grant period; show progress towards completing the edition; and justify costs in a new budget. For a comprehensive list of Commission's limitations on funding, please see What We Do and Do Not Fund. Applications that consist entirely of ineligible activities will not be considered. Award Information A grant is for one year and for up to \$200,000. The Commission expects to make up to 25 grants in this category for a total of up to \$2,500,000. Grants begin no earlier than January 1, 2017. The Commission requires that grant recipients acknowledge NHPRC grant assistance in all publications and other products that result from its support. Eligibility U.S. nonprofit organizations or institutions U.S. colleges,

universities, and other academic institutions State or local government agencies Federally-acknowledged or state-recognized Native American tribes or groups Cost Sharing The total costs of a project are shared between the NHPRC and the applicant organization. The Commission provides no more than 50 per cent of total direct project costs in the Publishing Historical Records in Documentary Editions category. NHPRC grant recipients are not permitted to use grant funds for indirect costs (as indicated in 2 CFR 2600.101). Cost sharing is required. The applicant's financial contribution may include both direct and indirect expenses, in-kind contributions, non-Federal third-party contributions, and any income earned directly by the project. Indirect costs must be listed under the applicant's cost sharing contribution. Other Requirements Applicant organizations must be registered in the System for Award Management (SAM) prior to submitting an application, maintain SAM registration throughout the application and award process, and include a valid DUNS number in their application. Details on SAM registration and requesting a DUNS number can be found at the System for Award Management website at <https://sam.gov>. Please refer to the User Guides section and the Grants Registrations PDF. A complete application includes the Application for Federal Assistance (Standard Form 424), Assurances -- Non-Construction Programs (Standard Form 424B), a Project Narrative, Summary, Supplementary Materials, and Budget. Applications lacking these items will not be considered. Ineligible applications will not be reviewed.

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**Access to Historical Records Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	ACCESS-201606
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Access to Historical Records
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	14
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	89.003 -- National Historical Publications and Records Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes

<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 24, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Nov 23, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jun 15, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jun 15, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jul 15, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$200,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Public and State controlled institutions of higher education State governments City or township governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) County governments
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Archives and Records Administration
<b>Description:</b>	<p>The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals that promote the preservation and use of historical records collections to broaden understanding of our democracy, history, and culture. This grant program is designed to support archival repositories in preserving and processing primary source materials. The program emphasizes the creation of online tools that facilitate the public discovery of historical records. The Commission looks to fund projects that undertake one or more of the following activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Preservation, arrangement, and online description of historical records in all formats</li> <li>• Digital preservation of electronic records and unstable audio or moving image formats</li> </ul> <p>After completing arrangement and description activities, applicants may also propose to digitize materials to provide online access to collections. For a comprehensive list of Commission limitations on funding, please see "What we do and do not fund" (<a href="http://www.archives.gov/nhprc/apply/eligibility.html">http://www.archives.gov/nhprc/apply/eligibility.html</a>). Applications that consist entirely of ineligible activities will not be considered. Award Information A grant is for one to two years and for up to \$200,000. The Commission expects to make up to 14 grants in this category for a total of up to \$1,000,000. Grants begin no earlier than January 1, 2017. The Commission requires that grant recipients acknowledge NHPRC grant assistance in all publicity, publications, and other products that result from its support.</p> <p><b>Eligibility Information</b></p> <p><b>Eligible applicants:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nonprofit organizations or institutions</li> <li>• Colleges, universities, and other academic institutions</li> <li>• State or local government agencies</li> <li>• Federally-acknowledged or state-recognized Native American tribes or groups</li> </ul> <p><b>Cost Sharing</b> - The total costs of a project are shared between the NHPRC and the applicant organization. The Commission provides no more than 50 per cent of total direct project costs in the Access to Historical Records category. NHPRC grant</p>

recipients are not permitted to use grant funds for indirect costs (as indicated in 2 CFR 2600.101). Cost sharing is required. The applicant's financial contribution may include both direct and indirect expenses, in-kind contributions, non-Federal third-party contributions, and any income earned directly by the project. Indirect costs must be listed under the applicant's cost sharing contribution. Other Requirements - Applicant organizations must be registered in the System for Award Management (SAM) prior to submitting an application, maintain SAM registration throughout the application and award process, and include a valid DUNS number in their application. Details on SAM registration and requesting a DUNS number can be found at the System for Award Management website at <http://sam.gov>. Please refer to the User Guides section and the Grants Registrations PDF. A complete application includes the Application for Federal Assistance (Standard Form 424), Assurances -- Non-Construction Programs (Standard Form 424B), a Project Narrative, Summary, Supplementary Materials, and Budget. Applications lacking these items will not be considered. Ineligible applications will not be reviewed.

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## Grants for Organizations

We fund **projects** only. Projects may consist of one or more specific events or activities. Projects do not have to be new. Excellent existing projects can be just as competitive as new activities. Projects do not need to be big either; we welcome small projects that can make a difference in their community or field.

### Art Works

To support the creation of art that meets the highest standards of excellence, public engagement with diverse and excellent art, lifelong learning in the arts, and the strengthening of communities through the arts. Matching grants generally range from \$10,000 to \$100,000. A minimum cost share/match equal to the grant amount is required.

#### First Art Works Deadline:

Step 1 - Submit SF-424 to Grants.gov	February 18, 2016
Step 2 - Submit Materials to NEA-GO	February 25, 2016 to March 3, 2016
Earliest Announcement of Grant Award or Rejection	November 2016
Earliest Beginning Date for National Endowment for the Arts Period of Performance	January 1, 2017

#### Second Art Works Deadline:

Step 1 - Submit SF-424 to Grants.gov	July 14, 2016
Step 2 - Submit Materials to NEA-GO	July 21, 2016 to July 28, 2016
Earliest Announcement of Grant Award or Rejection	April 2017
Earliest Beginning Date for National Endowment for the Arts Period of Performance	June 1, 2017

#### Art Works: Creativity Connects Deadline:

Step 1 - Submit SF-424 to Grants.gov	March 3, 2016
Step 2 - Submit Materials to NEA-GO	March 17, 2016 to March 24, 2016
Earliest Announcement of Grant Award or Rejection	November 2016
Earliest Beginning Date for National Endowment for the Arts Period of Performance	January 1, 2017

### Challenge America

To support projects that extend the reach of the arts to underserved populations. Matching grants are for \$10,000. A minimum cost share/match equal to the grant amount is required.



#### KEY INFORMATION FOR APPLICANTS

- Categories
  - Art Works
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Step 1 - Submit SF-424 to Grants.gov	April 14, 2016
Step 2 - Submit Materials to NEA-GO	April 28, 2016 to May 5, 2016
Earliest Announcement of Grant Award or Rejection	December 2016
Earliest Beginning Date for National Endowment for the Arts Period of Performance	January 1, 2017

## Our Town

Organizations may apply for creative placemaking projects that contribute to the livability of communities and place the arts at their core. Our Town offers support for projects in two areas:

- Arts Engagement, Cultural Planning, and Design Projects that represent the distinct character and quality of their communities. These projects require a partnership between a nonprofit organization and a local government entity, with one of the partners being a cultural organization. Matching grants range from \$25,000 to \$200,000.
- Projects that Build Knowledge About Creative Placemaking. These projects are available to arts and design service organizations, and industry or university organizations that provide technical assistance to those doing place-based work. Matching grants range from \$25,000 to \$100,000.

**Deadline:** September 21, 2015

**Notification:** April 2016

**Earliest Start Date:** August 1, 2016

## Research: Art Works

Awards to support research that investigates the value and/or impact of the arts, either as individual components of the U.S. arts ecology or as they interact with each other and/or with other domains of American life. Matching grants range from \$10,000 to \$30,000.

**Deadline:** October 20, 2015

**Notification:** April 2016

**Earliest Start Date:** May 1, 2016

See more at: <https://www.arts.gov/grants/apply-grant/grants-organizations>

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## Programs:

### 2017 National Heritage Fellowships Awards Program Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	NEAPS1504
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	2017 National Heritage Fellowships Awards Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to Organizations and Individuals
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 28, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 28, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 5, 2016 The Grants.gov system must receive your proposal no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on April 5, 2016. We strongly recommend that you submit your application by March 25, 2016 to give yourself ample time to resolve any problems that you might encounter.
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 5, 2016 The Grants.gov system must receive your proposal no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on April 5, 2016. We strongly recommend that you submit your application by March 25, 2016 to give yourself ample time to resolve any problems that you might encounter.

<b>Archive Date:</b>	May 5, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$310,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$310,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	<p>Special district governments</p> <p>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p> <p>County governments</p> <p>Independent school districts</p> <p>Private institutions of higher education</p> <p>Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)</p> <p>State governments</p> <p>City or township governments</p> <p>Public and State controlled institutions of higher education</p>
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	<p>Applicant Eligibility Nonprofit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3), U.S. organizations; units of state or local government; or federally recognized tribal communities or tribes may apply. To be eligible, the applicant organization must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meet the Arts Endowment's "Legal Requirements" at the time of application.</li> <li>• Have submitted acceptable Final Report packages by the due date(s) for all Arts Endowment award(s) previously received. An organization may submit only one proposal under this program solicitation. You may apply to other National Endowment for the Arts funding opportunities, including Art Works and Our Town, in addition to this program solicitation. In each case, the request must be for a distinctly different project.</li> </ul>
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Endowment for the Arts
<b>Description:</b>	<p>An organization may submit only one proposal under this program solicitation. This Cooperative Agreement may begin no earlier than December 1, 2016, and may extend for up to 12 months.</p> <p><b>Description</b> The purpose of this Program Solicitation is to select an organization to assist the National Endowment for the Arts with the 2017 National Heritage Fellowships Awards program by coordinating a concert, ceremony and reception, awardee dinner, and associated events. Each year, the National Endowment for the Arts awards a limited number of lifetime honors to individuals in recognition of their outstanding contributions to our nation's artistic heritage. One of these programs, the NEA National Heritage Fellowship Awards, pays tribute and draws public attention to the excellence and diversity of our nation's folk and traditional arts. The one-time-only awards go to significant traditional artists from across the country in recognition of their contributions to a particular traditional art form and to the American public through their artistic work. Since 1982, new awardees have travelled to Washington, DC to receive our nation's highest honor in this field in a public ceremony and perform in a concert. Through this Program Solicitation, the National Endowment for the Arts seeks a Cooperator</p>



to assist in the production and execution of the award program's public events including bringing the recipients to Washington, DC and coordinating the various events surrounding the official presentation of the 2017 National Heritage Fellowship awards.

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2017 Mayor's Institute on City Design (MICD) Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	NEAPS1505
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	2017 Mayor's Institute on City Design (MICD)
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to Organizations and Individuals
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 28, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 28, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 29, 2016 The Grants.gov system must receive your proposal no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on March 29, 2016. We strongly recommend that you submit your application by March 19, 2016 to give yourself ample time to resolve any problems that you might encounter.
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 29, 2016 The Grants.gov system must receive your proposal no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on March 29, 2016. We strongly recommend that you submit your application by March 19, 2016 to give yourself ample time to resolve any problems that you might encounter.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Apr 28, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$450,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$450,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Special district governments County governments City or township governments Independent school districts Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

**Agency Name:**  
**Description:**

State governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Applicant Eligibility Nonprofit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3), U.S. organizations; units of state or local government; or federally recognized tribal communities or tribes may apply. To be eligible, the applicant organization must: • Meet the National Endowment for the Arts' "Legal Requirements" including nonprofit, tax-exempt status at the time of application. • Have submitted acceptable Final Report packages by the due date(s) for all NEA award(s) previously received. • Have, at the time of application, at least a three-year history with education and advocacy regarding policies and practices affecting the design of American cities. An organization may submit only one proposal under this program solicitation.

National Endowment for the Arts

An organization may submit only one proposal under this program solicitation. This Cooperative Agreement may begin no earlier than October 1, 2016, and may extend for up to 12 months. Description The purpose of this Program Solicitation is to select an organization (Cooperator) to administer the Mayors' Institute on City Design (MICD), a program of the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA). MICD brings U.S. mayors together with design professionals in workshops to assist mayors with urban design challenges, to promote design excellence, and to enhance the livability of communities across the country. Since 1986, the MICD has helped transform communities through design by training more than 1,000 mayors to be the chief urban designers of their cities. MICD achieves its mission by organizing sessions where mayors engage with leading design experts to find solutions to the most critical urban design challenges facing their cities. Institutes are organized around case-study problems in closed-door sessions. Each mayor presents a problem from his or her city and receives feedback from other mayors and design experts. Every year, the MICD hosts at least six institutes held throughout the country. Each 2½-day institute is limited to fewer than twenty participants consisting of two equal cohorts: mayors and a resource team of city design and development professionals. Mayors present a case study that might include a range of challenges, such as waterfront redevelopment, downtown revitalization, transportation planning, and the design of new public buildings such as libraries and arts centers. Following each presentation, mayors and the resource team identify important issues, offer suggestions, and discuss potential solutions. This interchange generates creative solutions to urban design challenges. MICD's success stories are well documented on the program's website. The program has also been recognized with a number of awards, including a Presidential Award for Design Excellence in 2000. The National Endowment for the Arts will provide general

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guidance and financial support for the MICD through this Cooperative Agreement. As a federal agency, we regularly issue Program Solicitations for organizations to manage collaborative projects.

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Modifications:

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**NEA Art Works I Application, FY2017 Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	2016NEA01AW1
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	NEA Art Works I Application, FY2017
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to Organizations and Individuals
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 15, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 15, 2015
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<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$100,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$10,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Private institutions of higher education City or township governments County governments State governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Independent school districts Special district governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on

or after January 1, 2017. Generally, a period of performance of up to two years is allowed. Nonprofit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3), U.S. organizations; units of state or local government; or federally recognized tribal communities or tribes may apply. Applicants may be arts organizations, local arts agencies, arts service organizations, local education agencies (school districts), and other organizations that can help advance the goals of the National Endowment for the Arts. To be eligible, the applicant organization must:

- Meet the National Endowment for the Arts' "Legal Requirements" including nonprofit, tax-exempt status at the time of application. (All organizations must apply directly on their own behalf. Applications through a fiscal sponsor are not allowed. See more information on fiscal sponsors.)
- Have a three-year history of programming prior to the application deadline.
- Have submitted acceptable Final Report packages by the due date(s) for all National Endowment for the Arts grant(s) previously received.

National Endowment for the Arts

**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

An organization may submit only one application through one of the following FY 2017 categories: Art Works or Challenge America. An organization may submit one additional application under the Art Works category for a Creativity Connects project. The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on or after January 1, 2017. Generally, a period of performance of up to two years is allowed.

Grant Program Description

The guiding principle of "Art Works" is at the center of everything we do at the NEA. "Art Works" refers to three things: the works of art themselves, the ways art works on audiences, and the fact that art is work for the artists and arts professionals who make up the field. Art works by enhancing the value of individuals and communities, by connecting us to each other and to something greater than ourselves, and by empowering creativity and innovation in our society and economy. The arts exist for beauty itself, but they also are an inexhaustible source of meaning and inspiration. The NEA recognizes these catalytic effects of excellent art, and the key role that arts and design organizations play in revitalizing them. To deepen and extend the arts' value, including their ability to foster new connections and to exemplify creativity and innovation, we welcome projects that:

- Are likely to prove transformative with the potential for meaningful change, whether in the development or enhancement of new or existing art forms, new approaches to the creation or presentation of art, or new ways of engaging the public with art;
- Are distinctive, offering fresh insights and new value for their fields and/or the public through unconventional solutions; and
- Have the potential to be shared and/or emulated, or are likely to lead to other advances in the field.

Beyond encouraging projects that demonstrate these characteristics, we want to achieve the following four objectives through the Art Works

category: • Creation: The creation of art that meets the highest standards of excellence, • Engagement: Public engagement with diverse and excellent art, • Learning: Lifelong learning in the arts, and • Livability: The strengthening of communities through the arts.

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NEA Art Works Creativity Connects Projects, FY2017 Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	2016NEA01AWCC
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	NEA Art Works Creativity Connects Projects, FY2017
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to Organizations and Individuals
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 15, 2015
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<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$100,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$20,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	County governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Special district governments Private institutions of higher education Independent school districts Public and State controlled institutions of higher education State governments City or township governments
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	The official applicant must be an arts organization. An organization may submit only one application for an Art Work: Creativity Connects grant. An organization that

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submits an application to Art Works: Creativity Connects is still eligible to submit an application to other National Endowment for the Arts funding opportunities. In each case, the request must be for a distinctly different project. The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on or after January 1, 2017. Generally, a period of performance of up to two years is allowed.

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The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on or after January 1, 2017. Generally, a period of performance of up to two years is allowed. The official applicant must be an arts organization. An organization may submit only one application for an Art Work: Creativity Connects grant. Grant Program Description Creativity Connects\* is an initiative that will show how the arts are central to the country's creativity ecosystem, investigate how support systems for the arts have changed, explore how the arts connect with other industries, and invest in innovative projects to spark new ideas for the arts field. A key component to the Creativity Connects initiative is a pilot grant opportunity in the Art Works category to support partnerships between arts organizations and organizations from non-arts sectors that include, but are not limited to, business, education, environment, faith, finance, food, health, law, science, and technology. Art Works: Creativity Connects grants will seek to benefit the arts and non-arts sectors by:

- Demonstrating the value of working with the arts.
- Supporting the infrastructure for the arts to work in new ways with new sectors.
- Building bridges that create new relationships and constituencies.
- Creating innovative partnership projects to advance common goals.

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NEA Challenge America Application, FY2017 Grant

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**Funding Opportunity Number:**

2016NEA01CA

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

NEA Challenge America Application, FY2017

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

**CFDA Number(s):**

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**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

Yes

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<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$10,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$10,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	County governments Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) State governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Independent school districts Special district governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on or after January 1, 2017. Grants awarded under these guidelines generally may cover a period of performance of up to two years. An organization that has received Challenge America grants in FY 2014, 2015, and 2016 may not apply for a Challenge America grant under these FY 2017 guidelines. Applicant Eligibility Nonprofit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3), U.S. organizations; units of state or local government; or federally recognized tribal communities or tribes may apply. Applicants may be arts organizations, local arts agencies, arts service organizations, local education agencies (school districts), and other organizations that can help advance the goals of the National Endowment for the Arts.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Endowment for the Arts
<b>Description:</b>	The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on or after January 1, 2017. Grants awarded under these guidelines generally may cover a period of performance of up to two years. An organization that has received Challenge America grants in FY 2014, 2015, and 2016 may not apply for a Challenge America grant under these FY 2017 guidelines. Grant Program Description The Challenge America category offers support primarily to small and mid-sized organizations for projects that extend the reach of the arts to underserved populations -- those whose opportunities to experience the arts are limited by geography, ethnicity, economics, or disability. Age alone (e.g., youth, seniors) does not qualify a group as underserved; at least one of the underserved characteristics noted above also must be present. Grants are available for professional arts programming and for

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projects that emphasize the potential of the arts in community development. This category encourages and supports the following objective: • Engagement: Engaging the public with diverse and excellent art.  
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NEA Literature (Poetry) Fellowships, FY2017 Grant

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<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	2016NEA03LFCW
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	NEA Literature (Poetry) Fellowships, FY2017
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to Organizations and Individuals
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
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<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$25,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$25,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Individuals
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	The Arts Endowment's support of a project may begin any time between January 1, 2017, and January 1, 2018, and extend for up to two years. You may submit only one application per year. You may not apply for a Literature Fellowship (in poetry or prose) and a Translation Fellowship in the same year. Applicant Eligibility Creative writers who meet the publication requirements are eligible to apply. Applicants must be citizens or permanent residents of the United States.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Endowment for the Arts
<b>Description:</b>	The Arts Endowment's support of a project may begin any time between January 1, 2017, and January 1, 2018, and extend for up to two years. You may submit only one application per year. You may not apply for a Literature Fellowship (in poetry or prose) and a Translation



Fellowship in the same year. Grant Program Description  
The National Endowment for the Arts' Literature  
Fellowships program offers \$25,000 grants in prose  
(fiction and creative nonfiction) and poetry to published  
creative writers that enable recipients to set aside time for  
writing, research, travel, and general career advancement.  
Applications are reviewed through an anonymous process  
in which the only criteria for review are artistic  
excellence and artistic merit. To review the applications,  
we assemble a different advisory panel every year, each  
diverse with regard to geography, race and ethnicity, and  
artistic points of view. The Literature Fellowships  
program operates on a two-year cycle with fellowships in  
prose and poetry available in alternating years. For FY  
2017, which is covered by these guidelines, fellowships  
in poetry are available. Fellowships in prose (fiction and  
creative nonfiction) will be offered in FY 2018 and  
guidelines will be available in the winter of 2017. You  
may apply only once each year. Competition for  
fellowships is extremely rigorous. We typically receive  
more than 1,200 applications each year in this category  
and award fellowships to fewer than 5% of applicants.  
You should consider carefully whether your work will be  
competitive at the national level.

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**Landmarks of American History and Culture: Workshops for School Teachers Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	20160225-BH
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Landmarks of American History and Culture: Workshops for School Teachers
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.163 -- Promotion of the Humanities Professional Development
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 10, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 10, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 25, 2016
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<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$180,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$1
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Private institutions of higher education County governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Special district governments Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education State governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Endowment for the Humanities
<b>Description:</b>	The Landmarks of American History and Culture program supports a series of one-week workshops for K-12 educators. NEH Landmarks of American History and Culture Workshops use historic sites to address central themes and issues in American history, government, literature, art, music, and related subjects in the humanities. Each workshop is offered twice during the summer. Workshops accommodate thirty-six school teachers (NEH Summer Scholars) at each one-week session. At least one workshop week must serve a

national audience and provide housing for participants. The other workshop week may also serve a national audience; alternatively, it may limit its audience to participants who are able to commute and do not require housing. The goals of the workshops are to • increase knowledge and appreciation of subjects, ideas, and places significant to American history and culture through humanities reading and site study; • build communities of inquiry and provide models of civility and of excellent scholarship and teaching; • provide teachers with expertise in the use and interpretation of historical sites and of material and archival resources; and • foster interaction between K-12 educators and scholarly experts. NEH Landmarks Workshops are academically rigorous and focus on primary sources and scholarly works relevant to major themes of American history and culture. Leading scholars should serve as lecturers or session leaders. Workshops should also enable participants to work with primary documents and develop a project. NEH Landmarks Workshops are held at or near sites important to American history and culture, such as presidential residences or libraries; colonial-era settlements; major battlefields; historic districts; parks and preserves; sites of key economic, social, political, and constitutional developments; and places associated with major writers, artists, and musicians. Applicants should make a compelling case for the historical significance of the site(s), the material resources available for use, and the ways in which the site(s) will enhance the workshop.

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**Summer Seminars and Institutes Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	20160225-FS
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Summer Seminars and Institutes
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.163 -- Promotion of the Humanities Professional

<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Development No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 10, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 10, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 25, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 25, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$225,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$50,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Special district governments County governments City or township governments State governments Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Endowment for the Humanities
<b>Description:</b>	These grants support professional development programs in the humanities for school teachers and for college and university faculty. NEH Summer Seminars and Institutes may be as short as one week or as long as four weeks. NEH Summer Seminars and Institutes • provide models of excellent teaching; • provide models of excellent scholarship; • broaden and deepen understanding of the humanities; • focus on the study and teaching of significant topics, texts, and other sources; • contribute to the intellectual vitality of participants; and • build communities of inquiry. An NEH Summer Seminar or Institute may be hosted by a college, university, learned society, center for advanced study, library or other repository, cultural or professional organization, or school or school system. The host site must be suitable for the project, providing facilities for collegial interaction and scholarship. These programs are designed for a national audience of participants.
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<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	20160217-HK
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Digital Humanities Implementation Grants
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.169 -- Promotion of the Humanities Office of Digital Humanities
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 1, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 1, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 17, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 17, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$325,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$100,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education State governments City or township governments Special district governments Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education County governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Endowment for the Humanities
<b>Description:</b>	The Digital Humanities Implementation Grants program awards substantial grants to support the implementation of experimental projects that have successfully completed a start-up phase and demonstrated their value to the humanities. Such projects might enhance our understanding of central problems in the humanities, raise new questions in the humanities, or develop new digital applications and approaches for use in the humanities. The program can support innovative digital humanities projects that address multiple audiences, including scholars, teachers, librarians, and the public. Applications from recipients of NEH's Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants are welcome. Unlike NEH's Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants program, which emphasizes basic research, prototyping, experimentation, and potential impact, the Digital Humanities Implementation Grants program seeks to identify projects that have successfully completed their start-up phase and are well positioned to



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have a major impact. Proposals are welcome for digital initiatives in any area of the humanities.

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**Contact Information:**

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<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	20160217-ZA
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Next Generation Humanities PhD Grants
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.130 -- Promotion of the Humanities Challenge Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 20, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 20, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 17, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 17, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$350,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$1
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	The only eligible applicants are U.S. nonprofit institutions of higher learning with PhD programs in the humanities.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Endowment for the Humanities
<b>Description:</b>	In recent years, research published by Humanities Indicators, among others, has revealed that humanities PhDs pursue careers in many different professions—both inside and outside academia. Yet most humanities PhD programs in the United States still prepare students primarily for tenure-track professor positions at colleges and universities. The increasing shortage of such positions has changed students' expected career outcomes. NEH therefore hopes to assist universities in devising a new model of doctoral education, which can both transform the understanding of what it means to be a humanities scholar and promote the integration of the



humanities in the public sphere. Next Generation Humanities PhD Planning Grants support universities in preparing to institute wide-ranging changes in humanities doctoral programs. Humanities knowledge and methods can make an even more substantial impact on society if students are able to translate what they learn in doctoral programs into a multitude of careers. Next Generation PhD Planning Grants are designed to bring together various important constituencies to discuss and strategize, and then to produce plans that will transform scholarly preparation in the humanities at the doctoral level. Students will be prepared to undertake various kinds of careers, and humanities PhD programs will increase their relevance for the twenty-first century. Next Generation Humanities PhD Implementation Grants support universities in instituting wide-ranging changes in humanities doctoral programs. Humanities knowledge and methods can make an even more substantial impact on society if students are able to translate what they learn in doctoral programs into a multitude of careers. Next Generation PhD Implementation Grants are designed to produce plans that will transform scholarly preparation in the humanities at the doctoral level. Students will be prepared to undertake various kinds of careers, and humanities PhD programs will increase their relevance for the twenty-first century. NEH will support activities specific to each institution's needs: these may include (but are not limited to) multi-departmental collaboration, transformations in curricula, modifications in stipend structures, altered formats for dissertations, commitment to collection of alumni career information and outcomes, partnerships with non-university entities, as well as a pledge to encourage doctoral students to explore and prepare for multiple career trajectories. NEH intends the Implementation Grants program to promote best practices on the part of its awardee institutions, and thereby to establish a new model for graduate education in the humanities. Grantee institutions must provide funds (either their own funds or funds raised from nonfederal third parties) equal to the grant funds released by NEH.

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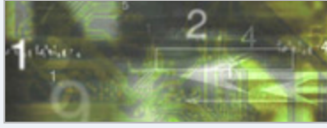
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<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Education
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	100
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	20.215 -- Highway Training and Education
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 29, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 29, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 31, 2016 Applications must be submitted to your State DOT by Close Date.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Apr 30, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$2,000,000
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<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
<b>Agency Name:</b>	DOT Federal Highway Administration



**Description:**

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Headquarters' Civil Rights (HCR) Office requests Statements of Work (SOWs) for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2016 NSTI Program. The NSTI program is a Science, Technology and Math (STEM) focused program for high school and junior high school students. It is administered by accredited colleges, community colleges and universities, accredited Tribal colleges, Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs), Minority Serving Institutions (MSIs), Hispanic Serving Institutions (HSIs) and Asian-American Native American Pacific Island Serving Institutions (ANAPISI) throughout the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Pacific Island territories and the U.S. Virgin Islands. These institutions make application to the State DOT (State DOTs) to serve as NSTI Host sites. State DOTs provide NSTI program oversight to the host sites. The FHWA Division Offices Civil Rights Specialists provide program guidance to the State DOTs in their oversight of the NSTI program. Academic institutions interested in serving as host sites must complete and submit their application package to the State DOT. The NSTI program objectives are to improve STEM skills, provide awareness to middle and high school students - particularly minority, female and disadvantaged youth - about transportation careers, and encourage them to consider transportation-related courses of study in their higher education pursuits. Host sites are required to commit significant program time to classroom participation. The length of the program is typically 2-4 consecutive weeks. Host sites may choose to be student day programs or residential programs in which room and board are provided by the Host Sites to the students. For more information including the application packet and deadline for submission, please contact your State DOT Representative.

**Link to Additional Information:  
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Joyce Gottlieb Program Analyst Phone 202-366-3664

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**Modifications:**

DOT/Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration  
FY2016 Commercial Motor Vehicle Operator Safety Training Grant Program

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	FM-DTG-16-001
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	FY2016 Commercial Motor Vehicle Operator Safety Training Grant Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Transportation
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	10
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	20.235 -- Commercial Motor Vehicle Operator Training Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 5, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 13, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 5, 2016 No Explanation
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 5, 2016 No Explanation
<b>Archive Date:</b>	May 5, 2016
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Small businesses County governments Private institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education For profit organizations other than small businesses Special district governments City or township governments State governments
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Vocational Technical Schools and Truck Training Schools
<b>Agency Name:</b>	DOT/Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration
<b>Description:</b>	The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) announces the Fiscal Year (FY) 2016 CMVOST grant program Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) to solicit applications from organizations that provide CMV operator training, including accredited public or private colleges, universities, vocational-

technical schools, post-secondary educational institutions, truck driver training schools, associations, and State and local governments, including Federally-recognized Native American Tribal governments that support CMVOST activities. The CMVOST grant is a nationwide Federal financial assistance program intended to reduce the severity and number of crashes on U.S. roads involving CMV by training operators and future operators in the safe use of such vehicles.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[FY2016 Commercial Motor Vehicle Operator Safety Training Grant Program](#)

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DOT/Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration  
FY 2016 Commercial Drivers License Program Implementation Notice of Funding Availability  
And Modifications 1 & 4

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

FM-CDL-16-002

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

FY 2016 Commercial Drivers License  
Program Implementation Notice of Funding  
Availability

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Cooperative Agreement  
Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Transportation

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

45

**CFDA Number(s):**

20.232 -- Commercial Driver's License  
Program Improvement Grant

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

No

**Posted Date:**

Jan 5, 2016

**Creation Date:**

Jan 14, 2016

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Apr 5, 2016 No Explanation

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Apr 5, 2016 No Explanation

**Archive Date:**

May 5, 2016

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

\$30,000,000

**Eligible Applicants:**

Private institutions of higher education  
Others (see text field entitled "Additional  
Information on Eligibility" for clarification)  
City or township governments

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
Special district governments  
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education  
County governments  
State governments  
Individuals

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Applications will be accepted from applications from State agencies, local governments, as well as other persons and organizations representing government agencies that support CDLPI activities. Note that applications must support the public purpose of the program.

**Agency Name:**

DOT/Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

**Description:**

The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) announces the Fiscal Year (FY) 2016 Commercial Driver's License Program Implementation (CDLPI) grant program Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) to solicit applications from State agencies, local governments, as well as other persons and organizations representing government agencies that support CDLPI activities. The goal of the national Commercial Drivers License (CDL) program is to reduce the number and severity of commercial motor vehicle crashes in the United States by ensuring that only qualified drivers are eligible to receive and retain a CDL. This goal focuses on maintaining the concept that for every driver, there is only one driving record and only one licensing document, commonly referred to as "One Driver One License One Record". States are required to conduct knowledge and skills testing before issuing a CDL; to maintain a complete and accurate driver history record for anyone who obtains a CDL; and to impose driver disqualifications as appropriate.

**Link to Additional Information:**

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**Reminders:**

Pipeline & Hazardous Material Safety Administration  
PHMSA Hazmat Grants  
FY2016 Hazardous Materials Instructor Training (HMIT) Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	HM-HMI-16-001
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	FY2016 Hazardous Materials Instructor Training (HMIT) Grant
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Transportation
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	10
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	20.703 -- Interagency Hazardous Materials Public Sector Training and Planning Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Dec 30, 2015
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 30, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 15, 2016 No Explanation
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 15, 2016 No Explanation
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Mar 16, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$4,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$250,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Per the statutory requirements at 49 U.S.C part 5107(e), the HMIT grant program is open to nonprofit organizations that demonstrate: (A) Expertise in conducting a training program for hazmat employees that work with the transporting of hazardous materials. (B) The ability to reach and involve in a training program a target population of hazmat employees. For the purposes of the HMIT grants program: Non-profit organization, as defined at 2 CFR part 200.70, means any corporation, trust, association, cooperative, or other organization which: (1) Is operated primarily for scientific, educational, service, charitable, or similar purposes in the public interest; (2) Is not organized primarily for profit; and (3) Uses its net proceeds to maintain, improve, and/or expand its operations. Non-profit organizations described in Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code that engage in lobbying activities as defined in Section 3 of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 are not eligible applicants. For profit organizations are not eligible applicants for the HMIT grant program.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	PHMSA Hazmat Grants
<b>Description:</b>	PHMSA is soliciting proposals on a competitive basis to receive grant funds for training instructors who will then

train employees involved in the transportation of hazardous materials. The HMIT grant program is authorized under 49 U.S.C part 5107 (e) to provide grants to nonprofit organizations to deliver training to instructors to train hazmat employees, and for such instructors to train hazmat employees. Instructors trained under this program will be able to offer training at or in close proximity to their places of employment. Additionally, funds awarded in accordance with the HMIT Grants Program may be used to train instructors and, to the extent determined to be appropriate, for such instructors to train hazmat employees. As provided by statute, funds awarded to an organization under this grant program are to be used to train instructors to conduct hazardous material training programs, to purchase training equipment used exclusively to train instructors to conduct those training programs, and to disseminate information and materials necessary for the conduct of those training programs. PHMSA will make a grant to an organization under this program only if the organization enters into an agreement with PHMSA to train instructors, on a nondiscriminatory basis, to conduct hazardous materials training programs for hazmat employees. Train the trainer means to train hazmat instructors who will be capable of training hazmat employees. Applicants are encouraged to seek letters of commitment from hazmat employers or employing state and local governments, indicating that the individuals) receiving instructor training will have authority to conduct training to his or her colleagues within the place of business or department regardless of union status.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[FY2016 Hazardous Materials Instructor Training \(HMIT\) Grant](#)

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DOT Federal Aviation Administration  
DOT - FAA Aviation Research Grants  
FAA Aviation Research and Development Grants  
Modification 3

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

12-01

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

FAA Aviation Research and Development Grants

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Transportation
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	20.108 -- Aviation Research Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 1, 2012
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Dec 9, 2015
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 31, 2019
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 31, 2019
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 30, 2020
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$5,000,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
<b>Agency Name:</b>	DOT - FAA Aviation Research Grants
<b>Description:</b>	The FAA is soliciting proposals for research grants and cooperative agreements to pursue the long- term growth and short-term technical needs of civil aviation. In order to streamline the application process, it is recommended that all prospective grantees submit a white paper (letter of intent) for agency technical review before complete proposal submission. Please be sure to identify the specific area of interest (Solicitation FAA-12-01 – Chapter I. FAA Research Grants Program, Technical Areas of Research #1-#9). The white paper shall be no longer than three (3) pages and shall detail overall research objectives.
<b>Link to Additional Information:</b>	
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Ukraine USAID-Kiev

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Reminders:



**Department of Veterans Affairs**

VA Loan Guaranty Service

Specially Adapted Housing Assistive Technology Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

VA-SAHAT-16-01

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Specially Adapted Housing Assistive  
Technology Grant

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	64.051 -- Specially Adapted Housing Assistive Technology Grant Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 6, 2016
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jan 6, 2016
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 29, 2016
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 29, 2016
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Mar 30, 2016
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$200,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
<b>Agency Name:</b>	VA Loan Guaranty Service
<b>Description:</b>	The Loan Guaranty Service (LGY), which is an office of the Veterans Benefits Administration (VBA), Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), is announcing the availability of funds for the SAHAT Grant Program. The objective of the grant is to encourage the development of new assistive technologies for specially adapted housing. The Department of Veterans Affairs acknowledges there are many emerging technologies that could improve home adaptations or otherwise enhance a Veteran's or Servicemember's ability to live independently. Therefore, VA has defined "new assistive technology" as an advancement that the Secretary determines could aid or enhance the ability of a Veteran or Servicemember to live in an adapted home.
<b>Link to Additional Information:</b>	
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